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*TSU Band spells "RALPH" as Alumni makes presentation to President Ralph W. Adams.
Troy State Homecoming, 1967.*

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Alumnus



President Ralph W. Adams

To The Alumni A Message From The President

Many of you, upon returning to the campus of your alma mata, will marvel at the many changes being made — changes that are becoming more necessary with “University” status and the growth of the student body.

While a student at Troy State you were amazed at the friendly atmosphere and educational opportunities that were made available to you. As an alumnus, taking another close look, you will see many new advances. An enthusiastic, spirited student body has helped change the University from a quiet place amid enchanting surroundings to a vast storehouse of energy, as unity is put into all university social, academic, and athletic activities. It is evident that you will feel the pulse of one of America’s fastest growing universities, a place where students are taught to develop their own talents and abilities.

Other ingredients go into this growing “University.” There is a constantly changing and growing physical plant and a highly competent dedicated faculty. You will note many changes in academic areas. You will notice that Troy State University is still a warm, hospitable place where students, faculty, and administrators meet and work in a congenial atmosphere.

Yes, while visiting with us you will see many changes — new modern buildings, new faculty, new administrators, new academic programs, and of course, the new name. These reflections of dynamic changes will allow you to see tomorrow’s streamlined education process in action today.

But important to me, Troy State University is still a place where the timid, the shy, the deserving, the determined and the gifted can be guided to a fruitful way of life through a quality of education.

This issue of *Alumnus* is designed to illustrate a few of the many advances we are making; but more important, come and visit with us — see for yourself. Take another close look at Troy State University, your alma mater.

Ralph W. Adams
President

TROY STATE UNIVERSITY

Governor Lurleen B. Wallace

President, Board of Trustees

Governor Lurleen B. Wallace is an active member of the Troy State University Alumni being an honorary life member of the Alumni Association.

Mrs. Wallace also holds an Honorary Degree from Troy State University and renders valuable aid and assistance when needed.

The Wallace Administration will go down in history as the greatest for education the state has ever known. Teachers' salaries have been increased and because of a state school building program, Troy State University will invest as much in buildings in the next four years as has been invested in the previous seventy-five.



TROY STATE BOARD OF TRUSTEES



The Troy State University Board of Trustees is now actively at work for the institution.

Members of the new board are:

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HOMECOMING 1967



This was the last homecoming Troy State College would celebrate, and the weather was perfect.

The Troy State Cheerleaders led the way in the annual parade, which was regarded as the best ever.

At the annual Alumni meeting Mrs. Emma Payne Flowers of Ozark was named Alumnus of the Year.

Troy State Faculty members aided in the registration process and acted as guides to a huge throng of visitors.



Alumni from many states returned to their Alma Mater and were amazed at the growth of their institution.

Old and young grads took tours of new spots of interest on campus.



HOMECOMING 1967

The campus was well decorated for homecoming. All residence halls were attired in Troy State colors.

Fraternities and sororities had as their target the Vols of UTMB.

Rain which had threatened gave way to a day of beautiful sunshine.



Time out from the day's activities led to fellowship and the meeting of old friends.



Only dark spot of day was Red Wave loss to UTMB.

On day of game Troy was 16th in nation on NAIA poll. UTMB was 16th in nation on AP poll.

The game was one of the most thrilling ever seen in Memorial Stadium.



Huge Construction Program Now Underway At Troy State University

New Library Center Being Constructed



Troy State University will boast the most ultra modern library facility in the State when construction of the new building is completed in early 1970.

H. Lynn Blair Construction Company of Alexander City began construction February 14, 1968. Total cost is expected to reach \$1,700,000 with one third paid by federal grant and two thirds by money from a state bond issue. Assignable area is 111,414 square feet.

Culminating five years of careful planning, the new Center will provide the best learning resources and facilities at the lowest possible cost. Included are traditional library materials, complete closed circuit TV, FM radio broadcasting, audio-visuals, audio-video labs, production of instructional materials, scholarly publishing, and other related services and functions.

Kenneth Croslin is director of the Troy State University Library Learning Resource Center.

Science Annex Added in 1967

A new science annex was added to McCall Hall in the summer of 1967. The building is entirely air conditioned and contains lecture rooms on each floor as well as laboratories and research rooms.

The building and laboratory furniture cost approximately \$500,000. An additional \$50,000 was spent for specialized laboratory equipment.

Dr. William T. Wilks is head of the Troy State University Science Department.

CHARLES RODERICK McCALL HALL



Alumni in the News

1902

ETHEL CORLEY CHAPMAN, mother of Mr. Corley Chapman, Sr., President of Troy Bank & Trust Co. and Vice President of TSU Alumni Association. Resides at 305 Walnut St., Troy, Ala.

1905

FRANKIE C. ENZOR is a retired teacher. She taught in the Birmingham schools for many years. Her address is 414 South Three Notch St., Troy, Ala.

1907

MABEL WRIGHT DUNBAR, wife of E. F. Dunbar, Troy State benefactor. They are the parents of Mrs. Alice D. Moseley, Selma, member of TSU Board of Trustees. Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar reside at 1140 North Three Notch St., Troy, Ala.

1908

MARY ENZOR BYNUM has retired from teaching and now resides at 414 South Three Notch St., Troy, Ala.

1910

EDDIE LEE SHACKELFORD LANCASTER is the daughter of Dr. E. M. Shackelford, former President of Troy State University. Her address is 216 Walnut St., Troy, Ala.

1915

HELEN COX ENZOR is retired after teaching in the Troy City Schools for many years and now resides at 109 Montgomery St., Troy, Ala.

1917

DORA HAYNES PARKER is a retired teacher. Her address is 4058 Hickory Drive, Montgomery, Ala.

WILLIAM R. JORDAN is a retired teacher of vocational agriculture. Mr. & Mrs. Jordan have established a scholarship in memory of their daughter, Janilu Braswell Jordan. They have also established scholarships in memory of several of their former Troy State teachers. They live at 232 Crescent St., Andalusia, Ala.

1918

BLANCH REYNOLDS SOLOMON, now living at 309 Main St., Headland, Ala.

1919

THOMAS HERMAN HEATH, now living at 3718 Ware Court, Montgomery, Ala. and is Superintendent of The Williams School. He was recently selected to appear in *"One of The Outstanding Personalities of the South."*

1920

PEARL SMITH PEACOCK, retired teacher of Troy City Schools, and now living at 707 Elm St., Troy, Ala.

BETTIE ROGERS now lives at Forest Home, Ala.

CLARA S. McQUEEN is retired and now living at 3432 Gilmer Court, Montgomery, Ala.

1921

INEZ COX THORNHILL, now living at 2019 Lauderdale St., Selma, Ala.

RABURN F. SCARBOROUGH lives on Rt. 1, Montgomery, Ala. He is a retired teacher.

1922

ESTELLE McCULLOUGH teaches mathematics at Charles Henderson High School. Her address is 543 Elm St., Troy, Ala.

1923

A. S. HARRIS, Louisiana State University School of Medicine, now resides at 1525 Seville Dr., New Orleans, La.

ETHEL MUNN is employed as bookkeeper at Beard Hospital, Troy, Ala. Her address is 209 Orange St.

LAURESON W. FORRESTER teaches in the Science Department at Troy State University. She lives on Normal Ave.

1924

ETHEL BURKS QUARLES, now retired and lives at 410 Orange St., Troy, Ala.

KATE C. PEIRCE, retired after teaching the first grade at Troy Elementary for many years. Her address is 500 Flavia Circle, Troy.

LUCIE COX CHAPMAN is a housewife living at 419 W. College St., Troy. She is a life member of the TSU Alumni Association.

CORLEY CHAPMAN is the President of Troy Bank & Trust Company. His address, 419 W. College St. He is a life member and Vice President of the TSU Alumni Association.

1925

MITTIE C. FRANCIS is a housewife and now lives at 2271 Country Club Drive, Montgomery, Ala.

1928

ALMA LOU INGRAM NETTLES is a housewife and lives in Monroeville, Ala.

SARA BYRD FLOWERS is presently living at 914 Newton Ave., Ozark, Ala.

1929

EMMA PAYNE FLOWERS is now retired but still active in civic work. She made many fine contributions to the field of education during her long teaching career. She served as Superintendent of Ozark City Schools during this period. She was elected ALUMNA OF THE YEAR at the TSU 1967 Homecoming.

KATIE B. NORRED WATSON, now residing in Pine Apple, Ala.

THEO DALTON received his Ph.D. at George Peabody College in 1945 and is presently serving as Chairman of the English Department at Troy State University. His mailing address is Rt. 1, Goshen, Ala. He is a former President of the TSU Alumni Association.

1933

GEORGE M. HUDSON is now Assistant Director of Vocational Rehabilitation Service with the State Department of Education. He served as our 1967 Alumnus of the Year Chairman. His address is Cambridge Road, Montgomery, Ala.

RICHARD GUNTER is DCT Coordinator at Jordan High School, Columbus, Ga. His home address is 3820 17th Ave., Columbus.

Alumni in the News

1935

LALA PEARL CLOWER is a first grade teacher in Albany, Ga. Her address is 2314 Whispering Pines Road.

MARGARET TUSHTON RUDDER, now living on Rt. 2, Ramer, Ala.

1936

EVELYN RICHARDS HAMM is a former Vice President of the Year Committee, and was elected to membership on the Executive Committee of the TSU Alumni Association at Homecoming. She is employed at the George C. Wallace Jr. College, Dothan, Ala.

ROY E. JEFFCOAT served for 15 years as Superintendent of Troy City Schools. He has been on the administrative staff of Troy State University since 1961 and is Director of Alumni Relations. He is a former President of the TSU Alumni Association.

SHELTON & ELLEN McLELLAND now reside at 1404 Briarcliff Road, Atlanta, Ga.

ALUMNI HALL

Alumni can point with pride to Alumni Hall on the TSU campus.

The building was made possible by a \$100,000 development fund drive led by Troy State Alumnus Earl James of Montgomery.

Alumni Hall houses 540 men at Troy State University.



ENTYS T. CLEMENTS is employed in the TSU Book Store. Her address is 210 Highland Ave., Troy, Ala.

1937

GRACE HEAD is a teacher in the Luverne Elementary School. She resides at 504 Clements Ave.

MARCUS MARSHALL DUBOSE now retired and lives at 1120 Park St., Troy, Ala.

J. FRANK BYNUM is employed at Gibson Hospital, Enterprise, Ala. He lives at 107 Jones St.

ANNIE H. BARR is a teacher at Troy Junior High School. Her address is 718 North Three Notch St.

IRMA ARMSTRONG WARR now resides in Elba, Ala.

ALICE T. ARNOLD teaches at Capitol Heights Elementary School in Montgomery, Ala. Her address is 2296 Carter Hill Road.

1938

WILLIAM B. RYALS is now living on Rt. 2, Andalusia, Ala.

JACK B. HARDWICK, now living in Abbeville, Ala.

HORTENSE DE PRIEST GRABLE is presently teaching at Dannelly Elementary School in Montgomery. Her address is 3318 Lexington Road.

CECIL Q. PINKERTON is a teacher at Sky Haven School, Atlanta, Ga. His address is 2357 Cloverdale Drive, SE.

1939

LON R. WISE teaches at Workman Junior High School, Pensacola, Fla. His address 625 Edgecliff Drive.

GRACE COX GODWIN teaches at the Intermediate School in Prattville. Her address is Box 447.

WILLIAM H. GIVENS teaches at Oakcrest Elementary School in Pensacola, Fla. His address is 817 Madison Drive.

E. MILTON WARR is now residing in Elba, Ala.

MARIE HOWELL WALKER is employed at the State Capitol in Montgomery. Her mailing address is 24 N. Florida St.

MARY NADENE FAIRCLOTH teaches at Troy Elementary School and lives at 609 Elm St.

VIRGINIA MARY COLLEY is a housewife and lives at 601 W. College St., Troy.

CLAIRE CARTER ANTHONY lives at 110 Brookside Drive, Greenville, Ala.

1940

RUTH CHAPPELL WOODSON is employed in the Montgomery County Tax Collector's Office. Her mailing address is 548 Bowman St.

ETHEL SANDERS is employed as reference librarian, TSU. Her address is 806 University Ave., Troy.

WILLIAM S. NORRED now resides in Pine Apple, Ala.

Alumni in the News

1941

JOHN A. SCARBOROUGH is now Professor of Education at Western Kentucky University in Bowling Green. His address is 542 Belmont Drive. In 1964 he was selected as Alumnus of the Year.

MR. & MRS. HORACE M. McLEAN now reside in Clio, Ala.

VIRGINIA MANN KEY is employed at the Troy Messenger office and lives at 204 Fairview St., Troy.

1942

RALPH E. MOONEY is Agent for the State Farm Insurance Company in Eufaula, Ala. His address is 140 Barbour St.

ANNETTE LOUISE LOFTIS is a teacher in the Selma Public Schools and resides at 513 Church St.

1943

MABEL I. JEFFCOAT is a retired school teacher living on Meadow Lane in Troy, Ala.

MARGARET G. WHALEY is a piano teacher in the Troy City Schools. She resides at 715 North Three Notch St.

SADIE WHETSTONE NIX is a retired teacher living at 312 Orion St., Troy.

1945

GLADYS FLOYD HICKS is teaching in Luverne and living on Rt. 2, Goshen, Ala.

JIMMIE PAYNE PRESTWOOD is retired and living on Rt. 2, Brundidge, Ala.

1946

BAILEY M. THORNE is employed as a teacher with the Okaloosa County Board of Public Instruction in Crestview, Fla. His wife and four daughters are all Troy State graduates. His mailing address is Rt. 1, Box 175, Crestview, Fla.

HAROLD R. COLLINS has completed requirements for his Ph.D. at the University of Alabama and has returned to Troy to serve as Superintendent of Pike County Schools. His address is 308 Orange St., Troy.

1947

VERA P. TISDALE is now Assistant Professor of Education at the University of Alabama. She resides at 1729 Lake Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala.

RAIFORD J. KEY lives at 204 Fairview St., Troy, Ala. and works for a local newspaper, the Troy Messenger.

FLAKE JOINER TATOM teaches at Hillcrest Elementary School in Enterprise, Ala. and resides at 219 Walnut St., Troy.

1948

JAMES C. WILKES of the Troy State University Science Department lives at 300 W. College St., Troy.

DOROTHY WHITE BRADFORD and husband, **JEFF**, are living at 226 Day St., Tallahassee, Fla. Dot teaches at Augusta Raa Jr. High School while Jeff teaches at Godby High School.

1949

WALLACE R. JOINER, now living at 1591 Lullwater Drive, Cairo, Ga.

SAMUEL I. DIXON, now living at 301 W. Hwy. 90, Milton, Fla.

1949

McDOWELL LEE is Secretary of the Alabama Senate and immediate past President of the Alumni Association. His address is Capitol Building, Montgomery, Ala.

JOSEPH L. KELLEY is teaching at Childersburg High School. His address is 600 3rd SE.

EVERETTE McGOWIN is employed by Gulf Coast Labs, Inc., Pensacola, Fla. His address is 2121 N. 207th Ave.



Officers of the newly organized Phi Beta Kappa Association at Troy State are Dr. Malcolm Agnew, president; Marshall Copeland, vice-president, and Mrs. Jean Mary, secretary-treasurer.

Troy State's honorary society holds as its aim the promotion of scholastic excellence among TSU students as well as within its membership.

SUE GRIMES MITCHUM teaches at the Kate Shepard School in Mobile, Ala. Her address is 3606 San Juan Drive.

ED NALL is a Property Control Officer in DeFuniak Springs, Fla. His mailing address is 124 Oaklawn Drive.

CHARLES W. NORRIS is an instructor in the Math Department of TSU. He lives at 406 Second Ave., Troy.

1950

R. G. COOK President of the Alumni Association, is employed at the Rehabilitation Center, Montgomery, Ala. His mailing address is Box 552, Union Springs, Ala.

BOBBY A. PHILLIPS, now residing at 1946 Fairway Circle NE, Atlanta, Ga.

ORA LEE PARK teaches at the Shellhorn Junior High School and resides on South Three Notch Road near Troy.

Alumni in the News

GEORGE NELSON HAMER is coaching at Bartow Junior High School in Bartow, Fla. His wife, **JOYCE**, '51, teaches at Floral Avenue Elementary. They reside at 1645 Wallace Ave.

JANICE T. BARNETTE teaches English at Carroll High School, Ozark, Ala. Her husband, **JACK**, '60 is Assistant Principal of the school. She also teaches English at the TSU Fort Rucker Branch.

JAMES H. SOLES of the TSU Math Department is presently on leave to do graduate work at the University of Alabama. His mailing address is 508 State Ave., Troy.

GEORGE BLUE BARBER is presently employed as Executive Assistant with the Alabama Highway Department, Montgomery, Ala. His mailing address is 108 Sussex Ave., Troy.

1951

JOYCE SPRINGER HOLLIS is Principal of Meadowview Elementary School in Selma, Ala. Her address is 621 Barrett Road.

WILLIAM J. GREENE, JR., now living at 4926 Chesil Ave., Columbus, Ga.

CORLY GRADY BRACKIN is a teacher at Havana High School, Havana, Fla. and his box No. is 992.

1952

JERRY NEAL SPANN teaches at Troy Elementary School and resides at 209 Murphree St.

ABBIE TISDALE PRESCOTT is a teacher at Sparkman High School. Her address is 3209 Overhill St., NW, Huntsville, Ala.

VIRGINIA HORNE NORRIS resides at 406 Second Ave., Troy.

DIXIE G. THOMPSON teaches at Baker High School, Baker, Fla. Her address is Rt. 1, Andalusia, Ala.

GERALD LEE COMMANDER teaches at Ponce de Leon High School. His mailing address is Ponce de Leon, Fla.

JENNIE LEE CASSADY is now residing at 810 Mockingbird Lane, Milton, Fla.

THOMAS JEFFERSON McCLAIN is presently serving as Registrar of Troy State University. He lives at 317 South Three Notch St., Troy.

1953

MAE McCALLISTER is now retired and lives on Rt. 3, Dothan, Ala.

BILL FARRAR is now teaching at Geneva Elementary School. He lives at Route 2, Geneva, Alabama.

BRUEL A. DAVIS now resides at 214 Hinwal Drive, Brundidge, Ala.

ANITA GRIMES BARBER is employed by the City Board of Education in Troy, Ala. She lives at 108 Sussex Avenue, Troy, Alabama.

CHARLES E. QUICK now resides at Madison, Florida, P. O. Box 591.

1954

JOHN DAVID BRACKIN is a Lieutenant Commander in the U.S. Navy. His mailing address is 4616 Dolly Madison Lane, Va Beach, Va. ,

BILL TRAVIS is employed by DeKalb College, Clarkston, Georgia. His home address is 4065 Maxey Hill Drive, Stone Mountain, Georgia. He received his M. S. Degree in 1959.

MRS. JEWEL W. POWELL is now teaching at Florida City School. She lives at 1005 Hughes Street, Florida, Ala.

FLOREE FARRAR is now a teacher at Geneva High School. She lives in Geneva, Alabama.

MARY JANE BYRD CULPEPPER now resides at 503 N. Park Avenue, Dothan, Alabama.

1955

JOYCE TRAVIS is now teaching at Allgood Elementary. She lives at 4065 Maxey Hill Drive, Stone Mountain, Georgia.

JOHN H. TOMLINSON is presently employed by Carr School. His address is P. O. Box 186, Clarksville, Florida.

GUID E. SANDERS now resides in Red Level, Alabama, P. O. Box 55.

EDWARD PYLE is presently employed by the YMCA. He lives at 7917 6th Ave. South, Birmingham, Alabama.

ROBERT W. GLASS now resides at Millbrook in Montgomery, Alabama, Box 67.

1956

BARBARA GLENDA C. WARD now resides at 516 Second Avenue, Troy, Ala.

ROBERT W. WILLIFORD is Dean of Men at Troy State University. He lives at Homewood Avenue, Troy, Alabama.

ULMA L. STABLER is a mathematician with the Civil Service at Eglin AFB, Fla. His mailing address is Rt. 1, Box 49G, Fort Walton Beach, Fla.

NEIL M. CAMPBELL is employed by the Walton County School Board, DeFuniak Springs, Fla. His address is Rt. 1, Box 84.

1957

JEWEL K. FAULKENBERRY now resides at 426 West Watson St., Andalusia, Ala.

TEXAL L. YOUNG is now teaching at Carrabelle High School. He lives in Carrabelle, Florida, Box 563.

MR. & MRS. R. BEN TROLINGER are presently teaching at Opelika Jr. High School. They live at 1402 Novella St., Opelika, Alabama.

ANNIS QUALLS ELLISON is teaching at Bay County High. She lives at 336 N. Bonita, Panama City, Florida.

EDWARD F. BARNETT is in the Math Department at Troy State University. He lives at 115 Bruce St., Troy, Alabama.

1958

MR. & MRS. NELL TATUM WESTER are teaching at Sneads High School. They live in Sneads, Florida, P.O. Box 74.

Troy State University Off-Campus Educational Program



Robert M. Paul
Director, Fort Rucker Branch

Troy State University has established the Fort Rucker Branch and the Maxwell-Gunter Branch to help meet the increasing educational demand on the part of both officers and enlisted personnel. Civilians from surrounding areas may attend the Branches on a space available basis.

The University offers a five year degree granting program at the Branches and offers the following degrees:

Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Science
Master of Science in Education



James E. Bailey Jr.
Director, Maxwell-Gunter Branch

The University operates extension centers at the Thomasville Air Station, Eufaula Air Station, and Mac-Arthur Trade School.

Roy E. Jeffcoat, Director of Special Services, coordinates the off-campus programs with the main campus. Robert M. Paul is director of the Fort Rucker Branch and James E. Bailey, Jr. is Director of the TSU Maxwell-Gunter Branch.

T.S.U. Yearbooks Needed

Troy State University needs the help of its Alumni in locating old yearbooks. A search is being conducted for these and other materials of historical significance by the Department of Archives, a division of the University Library Learning Resources Center. This Department presently has issues for 1912, 1919, 1923, 1925, 1926, 1929, 1937 and 1948 through 1967.

Alumni having yearbooks other than the above are requested to present them to the University as a gift. Please address all correspondence to Kenneth Croslin, Director, University Library Learning Resources Center, Troy State University.



THE DIRECTOR SPEAKS

Alumni Thoughts

Someone has said that the alumni of a college or university can give four things: interpretation, new students, money, and advice. All four of these will be welcomed by Troy State University.

You are the outposts of Troy, the guardians of her name and the developers of her future. It takes organized strength to get things done: individually, none of us can accomplish very much; working together we have power and strength. The Alumni Association is in need of "volunteers" in all areas of the nation and especially in Alabama. If you are interested in getting together with other alumni in your area for the support of your alma mater, contact Roy E. Jeffcoat, Director of Alumni Relations, Troy State University, Troy, Alabama.

This magazine, your *ALUMNUS*, will be used as a vehicle of expression in our attempt to serve the MEMBERS of the Alumni Association. We will attempt not only to tell, but show you the changes taking place at the University. Your MEMBERSHIP is needed in the Alumni Association to show your loyalty to your alma mater and to give you an opportunity to have an active part in her continued growth and development as a great institution of higher learning.

Sincerely,

Roy E. Jeffcoat

Director, Alumni Relations

BE A PART OF THE T.S.U. TEAM JOIN YOUR ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NOW.

TSU Alumni Association
Drawer L
Troy, Alabama 36081

_____ Note change of address.

_____ Enclosed find \$3 dues for 1968.

_____ Enclosed find \$5 joint dues for 1968.

_____ Enclosed find \$_____ for life membership.

_____ Life membership, \$50, may be paid by installments.

_____ Contribution to Alumni Scholarship Fund Fund.

Comments or News Item _____

Name _____ Class _____

Address _____ Zip _____

*You are cordially invited to be an active member and supporter of the
TSU Alumni Association.*

*Troy State University
Alumni Association*

At Home and Abroad with T.S.U.



Miss Beverly Lisenby, a 20-year-old junior from Ozark was selected by popular vote to reign over Troy State's 1967 Homecoming festivities.

An elementary education major, Beverly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don E. Lee.

The student body elected four other girls to reign in Miss Lisenby's court. They were: Ginger Creel, a sophomore elementary education major from Pensacola, Fla; sophomore physical education major Cheryl Wood of Phenix City; Carol Stringfellow, an Ashford senior majoring in physical education; and Barbara Tidwell, a freshman elementary education major from Satelite Beach, Florida.

Troy State's Red Wave basketball team toured Western Europe during December and January under the auspices of the People-to-People Sports Program.

During this tour the team participated in five international tournaments.

Games were played in Belgium, Holland, France, and Luxembourg.

A few of the trophies and souvenirs of the trip are shown at right.



You Won't Know The Town

In celebration of the new university status for Troy the always cooperative City of Troy passed a resolution changing the name of what was formerly Normal Avenue to University Avenue.

The State Highway Department with Director Herman Nelson and Assistant Director Blue Barber leading the way passed a resolution naming U. S. 231 from Montgomery to the Florida line "Troy University Highway".

Alumni in the News

MR. & MRS. HUBERT E. WILLIFORD are presently employed at Ferry Pass Jr. High School. They live at 508 N. Lynch, Pensacola, Florida.

MADIE BAYLER HORN now resides in Luverne, Alabama.

MR. & MRS. JAMES ROBERT HOLLIS now reside at 621 Barrett Road, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

SARAH TALBOT LAWRENCE resides at 401 Murphree St., Troy, Alabama and teaches at Charles Henderson High School.

1959
JAMES D. WALKER is employed by the U. S. Navy Mine Defense Lab. He lives at 1209 Friendship Avenue, Panama City, Fla.

IMOGENE MATHISON is presently teaching at Enterprise State Junior College, Enterprise, Ala. Her mail should go to the College.

HAROLD L. HELMS, address is Rt. 1, Clopton, Ala.,

MARCUS J. KELLEY lives at Route 1, Andalusia, Alabama.

BOBBY G. GRISSETTE is teaching at Excel High School. He lives in Excel, Alabama, Box 474,

BETTY JOHNSTON McDANIEL is teaching at Valparaiso Elementary School. She lives at 126 Edward Circle, Valparaiso, Florida.

1960
MR. & MRS. LEON L. WHITE now reside in Shalimar, Florida, P. O. Box 214.

ESTHER SCARBOROUGH PORTER is employed by the Dothan City School System. She lives at 106 Blue Springs Road, Dothan, Alabama.

1961
GLADYS STEPHENS is teaching at Troy Jr. High School. She lives at 819 University Avenue, Troy, Alabama.

ANN BOTTS RAY is teaching at Troy State University Lab. School. She lives at 104 N. Woodland Circle, Troy, Alabama.

ANN PARISH is teaching at Mixon Elementary School. She lives at 608 Mitchell St., Headland, Ala.

JOHN W. LEE teaches math at Troy State University. He lives at 1107 Park St., Troy, Alabama.

CHARLES H. ANDERSON is employed by Bendix Corporation. His home address is 1601 Avon Ave., Tucker, Georgia.

1962
CHARLES EDWARD WILSON, JR. is teaching at Merry Acres Jr. High School. He lives at 1531 Dawson Road, Apt. E., Albany, Georgia.

WILLIAM H. WHITE resides in Troy, Alabama, P. O. Box 143.

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Alumni in the Armed Forces

JAMES S. FAIRCLOTH, Chief Warrant Officer, USAF (Ret) was recently awarded the Legion of Merit, the nation's fourth highest military decoration. He is now a member of the faculty of Bay High School, Panama City, Fla.



JACK L. BOOZER, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. He is now assigned as a communications specialist with a unit of the Air Defense Command at Miles City, Air Force Station, Montana.

DAVID O. GLUTH, Second Lieutenant, completed an ordnance officer course Sept. 11 at the Army Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

In Memorium

James L. Navarro

Nashville, Georgia

Troy State-65

Killed in Action

Vietnam—November 8, 1967

JAMES R. SCHAFER, Captain USAF, has been selected for promotion to major in the U. S. Air Force. He is an education and training officer at the Air University's Squadron Officers School at Maxwell AFB, Ala. He has served in Vietnam.

HERBERT L. CASH, Army Private, fired expert with the M-14 rifle near the completion of basic combat training at Ft. Dix, N. J. The expert rating is the highest mark a soldier can achieve on his weapons qualification test.

ROY L. TEMPLE, JR. completed an engineer officer course at the Army Engineer School, Ft. Belvoir, Va. He received his commission as Lieutenant through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps program at Auburn University.

GEORGE WALKER, JR., Captain U. S. Army, completed a 19-week associate infantry officer career course at the Army Infantry School, Ft. Benning Ga., Sept. 20. He is a member of Company A in the 20th Special Forces Group in Montgomery, Ala.,



ROBERT W. PARKER received the silver wings of an Army aviator and was appointed a warrant officer September 26 upon graduation from the Army Aviation School, Ft. Rucker, Ala.

NORMAN S. TERRY First Lieutenant USAF, has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at McChord AFB, Washington. He was decorated for meritorious service as an administrative officer at Columbus AFB, Miss. He is a member of the Air Defense Command.



Clemson Head Coach and Athletic Director, Frank Howard was guest speaker at the annual Red Wave Football Banquet. Coach Billy Atkins welcomed him to the TSU campus.

ANNUAL ALUMNI TEA

The Annual Troy State University Alumni Tea was held in the Ballroom, Tutwiler Hotel, Birmingham during the Alabama Education Association Convention March 14, 1968. Those in the receiving line were President and Mrs. Ralph W. Adams, Alumni President and Mrs. R. G. Cook and members of the Board of Trustees. Several hundred alumni and friends attended the reception.

UNIVERSITY DAY AT TROY STATE



Thursday, December 14, 1967. A hastily called student assembly resulted in a full Sartain Hall. Students and guest were aware that a big announcement was coming.

SGA President "Hoot" Gibson called the meeting to order and introduced President Ralph Adams.

President Adams said, "As of 10 o'clock this morning we have been Troy State University. Isn't that a wonderful Christmas present?"

Absolute bedlam broke out in Sartain.



DECEMBER 14, 1967



Shouts of "We're Number 1" broke out as happy students were busy congratulating each other.

The students did not know that the Troy State Board of Trustees had, as one of their first orders of business, made the necessary proclamation earlier in the year at its first business meeting.

TSU cheerleaders led the students in some cheers, marked by the greatest enthusiasm ever seen or heard at Troy State.

When noise following the announcement subsided, Mr. McDowell Lee, representing the Board of Trustees announced that the Board had voted to declare no more school until after the holidays.

Needless to say, the bedlam broke out again, This time it would not stop, lasting well into the night.



There was a party atmosphere prevalent at the University the remainder of the day.

When school started again after the holidays there was evidence of a new spirit on campus.



UNIVERSITY AWARDS FIRST SCHOLARSHIPS



First Academic Scholarship

The first scholarship awarded by Troy State University went to an outstanding student from Troy, Maxwell Hayes.

The award was presented by President Ralph Adams and TSU Financial Aids Officer Don Gibson.

Maxwell is a National Merit semi-finalist. This places him in the upper one percent of the high school students who will graduate in 1968.

Maxwell will be the fourth in a family line to attend Troy. Each has been here at a different stage of the school's growth.

First Athletic Scholarship

TSU Head Football Coach Billy Atkins and President Ralph Adams look on as Troy State University's first grant in aid scholarship is given to Lanett, Alabama football star Billy Kelton.

Billy's parents, Mary and Jess Kelton look on.

Billy was a tailback with the Lanett Panthers and earned nine letters.

He is 6'4, weighs 210 lbs, and is considered an outstanding prospect by Coach Atkins and his staff.



T.S.U. COLLEGIATE SINGERS HEARD NATIONWIDE



TROY STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGIATE SINGERS

For the eighth consecutive year the Troy State University Collegiate Singers were featured on a nationwide Christmas program on the Mutual Broadcasting Company. This year the Singers were one of two singing groups in the nation to be featured. In addition the Singers prepared their own radio show that was heard on every major radio station in a three state area. They were also featured on television, an event looked forward to by their many fans in the south.

The Troy State University Collegiate Singers are under the direction of Dr. Charles Farmer, Chairman of the music department at Troy.

The Singers are a select group, each member must go through a rigid audition before he is allowed to join. Their repertoire consists of all kinds of music, pop, religious, folk song, etc.

The Collegiate Singers entertained again this year the Alumni attending the annual meeting at homecoming. Their program is looked forward to each year and has become a tradition at the annual meeting.

Among their many activities, the Singers annually go on a recruitment tour to many schools in the South Alabama area. Results of these tours may be seen in the quality of musical talent evident in the Troy State University Collegiate Singers.



Dr. Charles Farmer

Sound of the South Serenades Nation



*John M. Long
Director of Bands*

Troy State University's Sound of the South Band under the direction of John M. Long has been seen and heard by the entire nation this year.

In addition to following the Troy Red Wave Football team and capturing fans at Troy games the Sound of the South also added the professional fans to their list of supporters.

In an appearance at a Falcon game in Atlanta the band drew four standing ovations from the choosy professional crowd. Officials at Atlanta Stadium said it was the best halftime performance they had ever seen. The game was televised over most of the USA.

The Sound of the South also was featured on national television at the Blue-Gray Classic in Montgomery. Again they drew standing ovations from fans

at the game.

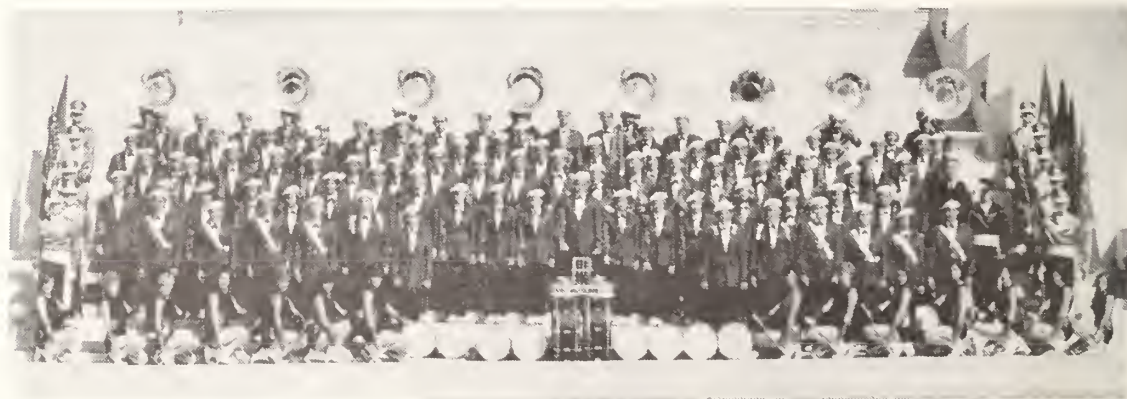
The Sound of the South consists of 130 members representing ten states. It can be called a marching jazz band even though its recordings of the classics are in great demand.

On the field the band is under the command of Drum Major John Haynes of Montgomery, Alabama. Band Captain is Tom Freeman of Dothan.

Director of Bands, John M. Long has had five bands to be winners in national contests held throughout the United States.

Extremely popular with the band's fans are the after-game concerts played in the stands after each football game. The band also makes a tour each spring, playing to thousands of students and supporters throughout the South. Band discipline is maintained at home and away by the band's officers.

The Sound of the South



T.S.U.'s RED WAVE A.C.C. CHAMPS



Billy Atkins
Head Football Coach

For the first time in history Troy State won the championship in football for the Alabama Collegiate Conference. In addition the Red Wave was consistently listed among the top teams in the nation.

The 1967 Wave broke almost every record at Troy State on their way to an 8-2 season. Quarterback Sim Byrd was fourth in total offense for the nation. His passing completion average was first in the nation.

No team in Alabama could defeat them. Victories were over Samford, Jacksonville, Florence, Livingston, Delta State, Louisiana College, Gordon, and Northwestern Louisiana. Northwestern was the number three ranked team and possessed a 15 game winning streak when the Wave put them

down.

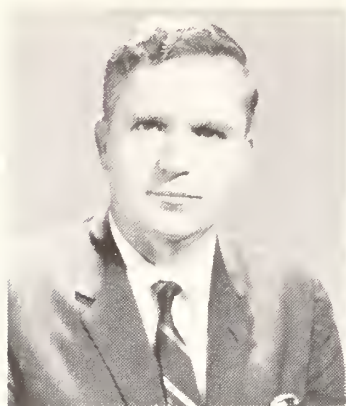
Losses were to Conway State and Tangerine Bowl bound Tennessee Martin. Both were close ball games.

This was the second season the Red Wave gridiron fortunes were under the direction of Billy Atkins and no one was disappointed. The Red Wave pro-attack was feared throughout the Southland. Amazing thing about this year's team is the fact that there was only one senior on the squad.



Troy State's only senior, Danny Moore of Dothan, boots a field goal to give the Red Wave an early 3-0 lead over Livingston State.

PROGRESS IS GOAL AT TROY STATE



Troy State University Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dr. D. L. Howell points with pride to the many activities of his department during the past year.

Among them a comprehensive self study program that has been published in five volumes concerning nearly all phases of the university operation. There has also been a faculty upgrading program which allows faculty members to go on leave to gain further knowledge.

An extensive curriculum study was initiated in September of 1967 and every program and course at the university is being given careful examination by the faculty with the aid of consultants in every department. A department of Classics was started in 1967 also with Dr. Agnew from Boston University being employed as chairman.

A research consortium with Troy, Livingston, and Alabama State participating in education research was implemented in the fall as well as a program for the training of personnel in Rehabilitation Services. Troy State is one of six universities in the entire country receiving approval for such a program.

L. Clay Stabler, Jr. TSU Vice President for Finance can also offer significant achievements for 1967. Among these are the installation of an IBM 1401 Computer and conversion of all accounting and student records. Also there have been additions to Memorial Stadium such as increasing seating capacity by 1000 seats, adding a first aid room, new concession stands, and ticket booths.

Planning has begun on the new married student apartments to be located at the extreme east side of campus. The addition of McCall Hall has been completed and is being occupied by the Science and Mathematics Department, increasing available facilities by two-thirds.

There has been a provision for wage increases occasioned by the wage-hour law with little or no increase in total departmental budgets through economies elsewhere. Air-conditioning has been put in the old dining halls. George Wallace Drive and University Avenue have been widened and additional parking has been provided.



Students at Troy State University have never had it so good according to Dean of Students, Annette Gibbs. Financial aid for students was increased from \$700,000 in 1966 to \$900,000 in 1967. This aid will pass the million dollar mark in 1968.

With the aid of Student Personnel Services, TSU students have inaugurated their own system of self government containing a detailed judicial system at the University and Residence Hall level. Student tutorial programs have been established and a program to retain the academically talented student after graduation from high school was initiated in 1967.

Activities have been varied in the fraternity and sorority life at Troy and a new chapter, Alpha Delta Pi, one of the leading Greek Sororities for women, was installed this year.



TROY STATE COLLEGE (NORMAL SCHOOL) CLASS OF 1902

Left to Right – Sitting: Ruben Dykes, Ethel Corley Chapman, Edward Crenshaw, Annie Williams Young, Jon Dansby, Ida Belle Mizell Dykes. Standing: John F. Beard, Lena Petrey Mills, John L. Cosby, Lenna Denny, and Mr. Ferguson. Not in picture: Mayme Cowling Bryan.



VISITORS TO THE CAMPUS

From left: Roy E. Jeffcoat, J. Roy Crow, George Wallace, McDowell Lee, Ed Murphree, Governor Lurleen Wallace, Dr. J. O. Colley, James Ray, Dr. Ralph Adams, and Bill Wilks.

T.S.U. STUDENTS—

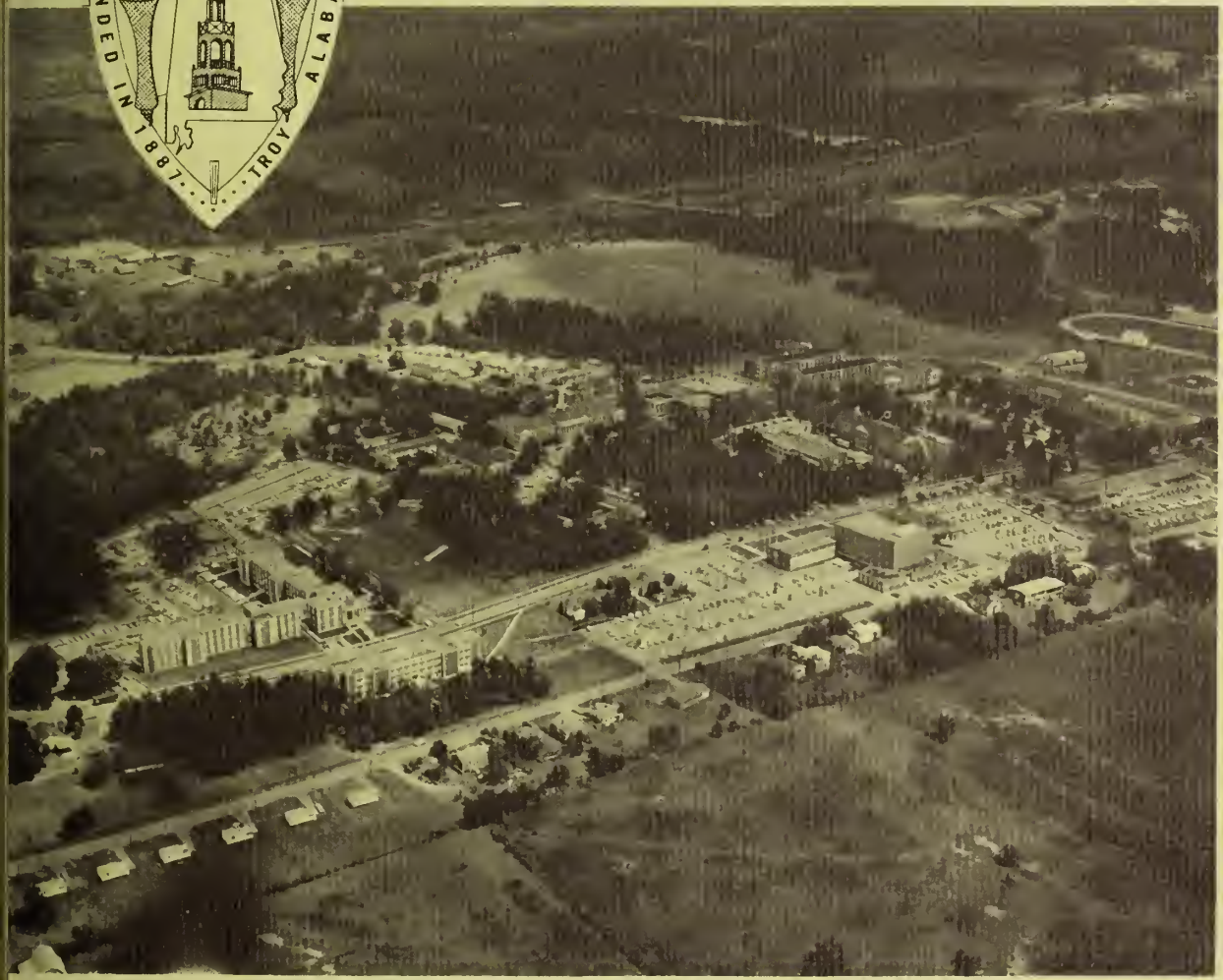
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Governor Albert Brewer extends greetings to Boys State Governor Lynn Kilpatrick of Merdianville. Looking on are Lawson Lynn, American Legion official, Boys State Lt. Governor Dennis Clark of Sheffield, and Cliff Harper, Southeastern Conference official, and Director of Boys State held on the Troy State University Campus.

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ACADEMIC OBJECTIVES AND OPERATION



Dr. D. L. Howell

As Troy State continues to grow in its physical appearance it is also making great strides in the academic area.

Here is a report by Dr. D. L. Howell, Vice President for Academic Affairs on steps that have been made and work that is being done in this important area.

Dr. Howell, in addition to his duties at the University is serving on Governor Brewer's Education Study Commission that is looking into Alabama's educational needs.

As an institution of higher learning goes through a pattern of change to university designation, it is critical that it make detailed studies of its internal academic instructional objectives and operation. Troy State University conducted a most extensive self-study with the final report being completed in October, 1967. This self-study consisted of the following stages:

1. A study of the area entitled CHARACTERISTICS OF THE REGION SERVED BY TROY STATE UNIVERSITY which was conducted by the Institute for Social Research, Florida State University. This study included the following:
 - (a) Physical Characteristics of the Region
 - (b) General Demographic Characteristics of the Region
 - (c) Economic Characteristics of the Region
 - (d) Health Facilities of the Region
 - (e) Educational Characteristics of the Region
2. A study of the philosophy and objectives of Troy State University. Among other things, this study indicated the change from a normal school and teachers college to a state institution with multiple programs and service areas.
3. A study of other specific areas of the University. This included:
 - (a) Educational Program
 - (b) Faculty
 - (c) Financial Resources and Business Management
 - (d) Graduate Program
 - (e) Library
 - (f) Organization and Administration
 - (g) Physical Plant
 - (h) Student Personnel Services

A REPORT FROM THE VICE PRESIDENT

The final report of this self-study is entitled THE FUTURE OF TROY STATE UNIVERSITY and is an extremely comprehensive summary of reports and recommendations on the educational program, organization and administration, faculty, library, graduate program, student affairs, and plant and facilities at Troy State.

During the current 1967-68 year an extensive curriculum study is being conducted. Every program and course is being given a careful examination by the faculty with the assistance of consultants from such leading institutions as Florida State University and the University of Michigan. An ad hoc student curriculum committee was appointed and has submitted a comprehensive view of the Troy State curriculum based on student attitudes and concepts of the present and future development of the Troy State curriculum.

Troy State University was one of the first institutions to receive support from federal funds as a developing institution. Funds from this grant have helped finance the self study, the curriculum study, and the faculty upgrading project. This program has enabled Troy State to send nineteen faculty members to graduate school to work on the doctorate while receiving their regular compensation from Troy State. This faculty upgrading program will be continued next year with seven faculty members on this type of leave of absence. In addition to these programs, the Developing Institution Grant for next year provides funds for Troy State to conduct an administrative improvement program and an experimental tutoring program. Thirty students who would not otherwise be eligible for academic admission to Troy State will be admitted and three faculty members will be employed to provide specialized tutoring services to these students.

Troy State University was one of six institutions in the entire country to receive a grant to develop a program in Social and Rehabilitation Services. Research activity is also being increased at Troy State University.

In the academic area of a university, the usually accepted areas of responsibility are teaching, research, and public service. All of these functions are in the process of being improved and expanded at Troy State University. — *Dr. D. L. Howell, Vice President*



President Ralph Adams and Vice President D. L. Howell present a watch on behalf of the faculty and staff to Mrs. Mary Howard Lockridge who announced her retirement at the end of the spring quarter. She completed twenty-one years as a member of the TSU English staff.

ALUMNI NEWS

FOR SUMMER QUARTER 1968

Where They Are and What They Are Doing

MRS. JOHN CUMMINS '55, of Princeton, Indiana was recently initiated into the Sigma Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa International Sorority for women educators. Mrs. Cummins is music supervisor in the North Gibson Corporation and also teaches each summer in the Music Clinic held at Indiana University. She is the former Jimmie Sue Harris of Troy, Ala.

DR. JAMES W. BYRD '48, a native of Goshen, Ala., is now Professor of English at East Texas State University, Commerce, Texas. Dr. Byrd has published numerous articles on the folklore of the Southwest.

DR. KENNETH YOHN is now a general practitioner in Eufaula, Ala. Before his release from the service, Dr. Yohn was a flight surgeon for jet training squadrons based in Pensacola and the Navy's Blue Angels, a flight demonstration team. He is married and has three young sons.

THOMAS HARRISON '66 is presently teaching at Lanier High School in Montgomery, Ala. He was President of the Student Government Association for two years at Troy State and was recently selected for inclusion in the 1968 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America.

MARVIN K. VICKERS, JR. is a chaplain in the U. S. Army and stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas with the 1st Armored Division. He was recently selected for inclusion in the 1968 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America.

ROBERT YOUMANS '63 is owner of Youmans Fertilizer and Naval Stores in Lexsy, Ga. He has been selected for inclusion in the 1968 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America.

JOHN W. PORTER '65 of Huntsville, Ala. is employed by the Boeing Company as a programmer. He has been selected for inclusion in the 1968 edition of Outstanding Young Men of America.

MRS. D. G. HUELSKOETTER '58, 102 South Third, Altamont, Illinois is now married to a doctor and has three children. After leaving Troy she taught junior high English in Chicago for a while but is now a housewife and enjoys community and civic activities. Mrs. Huelskoetter is the former Skippy Wilma Mansfield.

VIRGINIA BORLAND WARD, 415 Fairbanks, Tallahassee, Fla., now has three children and is a secretary and housewife.

JOE BORLAND '59 28 B St., Troy, Ala. is now an accountant for Allied Mills, Inc. He is married and has two sons.

BETTY BORLAND GILES '56, Box 305, Center Moriches, New York, is now a preacher's wife and has two children. She was a physical education teacher for several years.

NANCY BORLAND HAISTEN '58, 232 Glenn Drive, Birmingham, Ala., is married and has three children. She is director of Ruhuma Kindergarten in Birmingham.

ELEANOR BORLAND O'NEAL '61, 2707 Chevy Chase, Montgomery, Ala., is now married and has three children.

HAROLD PAUL FREELS '63, 210 Brandy Lane, Merritt Island, Fla. is a communications designer for General Electric, Cape Kennedy, Fla.

JAMES W. FREELS '65, Box 81, Oak Ridge, Tenn. is now with the Union Carbide Nuclear Co., Oak Ridge National Lab. Oak Ridge, Tenn.

ANNETTE LOFTIS '42, served as elementary principal of Tremont School and Meadowview School in Selma for sixteen years. For the past two years she has served as Reading Consultant for the Selma City Schools.

CHARLES JEFFCOAT '59 is a member of the firm of Waldorff Insurance Agency Inc., Fort Walton Beach, Fla. He is a local sports fan and coach and was selected to head up the Playground YMCA for the 1968-69 year.

WILLIAM B. BARNETTE has been named Data Processing Superintendent for State Farm's Mid South Office in Monroe, La.

PETE C. BLACK, '12, 212 N. Hillcrest, Troy, Alabama is a life member of the Alumni Association. He recently received a fifty year Distinguished Service Award from Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Mr. Black is a successful Troy business leader.

GRADUATION 1968

Graduation exercises at Troy State were held on Friday, May 31, with Henry Z. Carter, president of Avondale Shipyards of New Orleans, as the speaker. Diplomas were presented to 472 students including 54 who received the master's degree. The graduates were the largest number in the history of the University to receive degrees at one commencement. Seventeen students were graduated with honors.



Among the guests were members of Mr. Carter's family and members of the Troy State University Board of Trustees.

Branches at Maxwell AFB and Fort Rucker graduated students also. Notable among these was what is believed to be holder of more medals than any other individual in active service today. Chief Warrant Officer Perry Hopkins (right) has won almost every medal awarded by his country for bravery and service.



T.S.U. FOUNDATION ORGANIZED



Director of Alumni Affairs Roy E. Jeffcoat lends a helping hand to Karla Schomberg and Mrs. Nell Fannin during the mailing of ALUMUS 1. ALUMNUS is mailed to 9,000 Alumni each quarter.

THE DIRECTOR SPEAKS.....

We recognize that only through a partnership of private money and public funds can we hope to build the kind of university which our area must have. In order to continue the tremendous forward progress which has been made at Troy State University in recent years, and in order to continue improvements in quality, we plan to seek private financial support as a supplement to legislative funds, student fees, and federal grants.

In order to carry this program to fruition, the Trustees of Troy State University approved the establishment of the Troy State University Foundation as a permanent, nonprofit organization to receive, manage, and disburse funds and other assets given to Troy by individuals, foundations, corporations, and other private organizations. Outstanding business and professional leaders are being selected to serve as members of the Troy State University Foundation Board of Directors.

Gifts may be given for either specific or unrestricted purposes. Under present laws, gifts are tax exempt up to thirty per cent of personal income. Each gift stands as a memorial to the donor — a gift that “lives forever.” Gifts of cash, stock, bonds, land, or life insurance will be welcomed. Whether the gift is large or small it will be a living tribute to those who respect, honor, and assist Troy in such a thoughtful way.

*Roy E. Jeffcoat, Director
Alumni Relations*

Attention All Alumni....

Homecoming Changed to November 16

Homecoming at Troy State has been changed to November 16 at the request of the student body at the University. The change was made necessary by the new school calendar in effect this fall. Under the new calendar the original date of homecoming would not have allowed the student body time to properly prepare for the festivities. You will receive a schedule of activities planned for the day later, but make changes in your plans now to be with us November 16. Troy will play Concord College at two o'clock in the afternoon.

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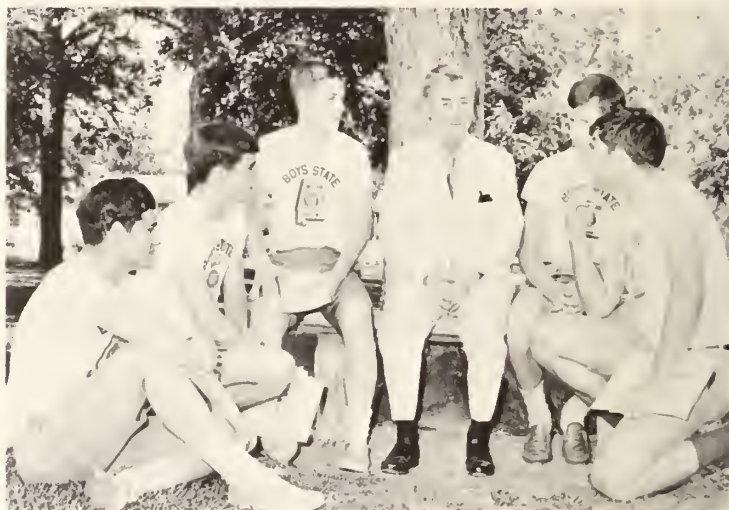
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THE PRESIDENT SPEAKS

President Ralph Adams takes time out to chat with a few of the more than 600 boys attending Boys State on the TSU campus.

Boys State is sponsored by the American Legion and was held at Troy in June.

The University is now attracting more and more events of this kind as it expands its services to the state and community.



"The people of Alabama today are on the threshold of a great educational renaissance, one that will do much to fulfill the prophecy that the last half of the century belongs to the South," Dr. Ralph W. Adams, President of Troy State University told the graduating class at Yancey State Junior College, Bay Minette, Sunday, June 2. Noting monumental changes that have been wrought in education in the last several years Dr. Adams praised former Governor George C. Wallace for quarterbacking a team of educators that blue printed the greatest advance in education the state has ever made.

"The \$116 million bond issue was the largest in the history of the state and will result in the greatest school building program we have ever had," predicted Dr. Adams. "A general lifting of the educational program through improvement of the basic program and additions of the junior college program and the free textbooks program must also have its effect."

Dr. Adams pointed out that when the adult level of education is raised by one grade in the community this results in an increase of \$300 spending for each person.

The principal theme of the TSU President's address was "things that do not change in a changing world." Dr. Adams said that some changes are for the better but many of the most important things in the world and in our lives never change. The President pointed out the Golden Rule and the Ten Commandments, loyalty and patriotism, courage, and a proud heritage of liberty as things that must never change in our society.

The President urged the graduates not to forget that one unchanging principle is the measure of a man's worth. "The true worth of a person is not measured by a financial statement but by how much he has done for his fellow man. Above all else I hope that you use this rule as a capstone for a worthwhile and happy life. If you do, you cannot fail. If you don't, you cannot succeed," President Adams concluded.

ACTION ON THE CAMPUS



Shown planning a workshop for the American Association of University Women held at Troy State University July 11, 12, 13 are: Dean of Students, Annette Gibbs, TSU; Mrs. Curran Farmer, committee chairman, Troy; Mrs. Van Watson, President, Troy Branch AAUW; Mrs. Gurly Wilks, committee chairman, and Mr. L. Clay Stabler, Jr., Vice-President of Troy State University. The workshop attracted over 200 AAUW officers from throughout the state.

Miss Annette Colley, a sophomore from Troy, has been named head Majorette of the Troy State Sound of the South Band.

Miss Colley will step out front to lead the band at all parades, football games, and national television appearances in 1968-69.

At press time there was a likelihood of a major bowl appearance for the band in January.



ALUMNI GROUPS BECOME ACTIVE

Huntsville, Luverne, in Alabama and Jacksonville, Florida have organized active Alumni groups and are making plans to participate in the affairs of the University. Persons interested in other areas should contact the Alumni office for information about organizing into groups. Huntsville Alumni should contact Charles W. Jackson, 5009 Holmes Ave. NW. Luverne Alumni should contact Jim Head, 101 Sellers Drive Jacksonville, Florida Alumni should contact Mike Jones, care of Maxwell House Division, General Foods, Corporation.



As the new Vice President for Student Affairs at your alma mater, it is a personal pleasure for me to join an institution that is in the process of growing and expanding its services to the area and nation. More growth, of course, means more students and more students challenges us to give each individual the best possible chance for success in his chosen field. This means involvement on his part and proper planning on our part.

Student Affairs and Services at Troy State University are directed toward the continued improvement of the total educational environment of the institution. Sharing in this enrichment with all other facets of the University we are committed to the educational process not only as it is directed toward various student groups, but to students in units of one. Complementing each of the other areas within the Student Affairs division but serving a vital and distinct function are programs such as:

Residential Education. The concept of the "living — learning center" has and will continue to be the philosophical base for the programs involving primarily the student living in a University residence. Programmed for almost two thousand students, this function is the result of a "shared intelligence" by the educational community. Living facilities are oriented toward involvement in academics, recreation, the dynamics of group living, participation for the development of individual responsibility, and the problem-solving approach for both groups and the individual.

Students Activities. With the realization that there is no definable group known as the "Student Body" but rather many diverse groups with as many different interests and aspirations, this area serves the complex needs of sub-group patterns. Discussion groups, social events, clubs, fraternal organizations, student government, etc., are but a few of the manifestations of the activities program.

Guidance Services. This area offers to the students a center for general educational information, personal counseling, individual testing, and occupational information. In addition, the center administers the professional and national testing programs.

Health Services. A University Physician and a full staff of nurses operate both in-patient and out-patient care. One of the busiest services on campus, the health center offers the student a convenient center for aid in maintaining his personal health.

Placement Service. Working in close cooperation with industry, business, and public education, the center offers to the student a centralized service for contacting and interviewing potential employers.

Financial Aids. Awarding national, state, institutional, and privately funded student grants, loans, and scholarships, the Financial Aids Service is responsible for processing the majority of student assistance. This assistance enables many students to pursue an education. — Dr. E. D. McDaniel

Alumni in the Armed Forces

FT. SILL, OKLA. (AIIITNC) — Private Billy R. Courson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Courson Jr., Route 1, Goshen, Alabama., completed an artillery fire direction control course May 30 at the Army Artillery and Missile School, Ft. Sill, Okla.



SAN ANTONIO — Airman Bobby G. Shirah, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin T. Shirah Sr. of Rt. 1, Clio, Ala., has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Sheppard AFB, Tex., for specialized schooling as a statistical data specialist. Airman Shirah, a 1964 graduate of Blue Springs (Ala.) High School, received his B.S. degree in 1967 from Troy (Ala.) State University.

MONTGOMERY, ALA. — Captain Charles W. Giddens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zeek Giddens of 403 Second Ave., Troy, Ala., has been graduated from the Air University's Squadron Officer School at Maxwell AFB, Ala.

The Captain is being reassigned to Langley AFB, Va., as a weather officer with the Air Weather Service.



HONSHU, JAPAN — Major James L. Driggers, son of J. T. Driggers of Andalusia, Ala., has arrived for duty at Tachikawa AB, Japan.

Major Driggers, a flying safety officer, is assigned to a unit of the Pacific Air Forces.

He previously served in Taiwan.

A graduate of Covington County High School, Florala, Ala., Major Driggers received a B.S. degree in 1950 from Troy (Ala.) State University.

His wife is the former Margie Jay.

BILOXI, MISS. — Airman Roger A. Lee, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Luker of 519 Hooper Dr., Selma, Ala., has been graduated from a U. S. Air Force technical school at Keesler AFB, Miss.

He was trained as a telecommunications specialist and has been assigned to a unit of the Air Force Communications Service at Lajes Field, Azores.

FT. DIX, N. J. (AIIITNC) — Army Private William R. Turner, 24, son of Mrs. Mary B. Turner, 508 Park St., Troy, Ala., completed eight weeks of advanced infantry training Feb. 2 at Ft. Dix, N. J.

SEMBACH, GERMANY — Captain William C. Leach, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Leach Jr. of 603 Howell Ave., Selma, Ala., has arrived for duty at Sembach AB, Germany.

Captain Leach, a weather officer, is assigned to a unit of the Military Airlift Command.

He previously served at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam.



SAN ANTONIO — Thomas M. Crowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen J. Crowell of Letohatchie, Ala., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Lieutenant Crowell, selected for OTS through competitive examination, is being assigned to Bance AFB, Okla., for pilot training.

SAN ANTONIO — Airman Larry N. Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Chambers of 2060 Midway St., Montgomery, Ala., has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex.

SAN ANTONIO — Thomas S. Calliham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Davis S. Calliham of Route 2, Victoria, Tex., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Tex.

OKLAHOMA CITY — Captain John R. Curtis, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Curtis of 106 Highland Ave., Troy, Ala., has completed specialized pilot training at Tinker AFB, Okla., in the U.S. Air Force's newest jet transport, the C-141 Starlifter.

A NEW PROBLEM FOR T.S.U.



As the coaching staff looks forward to the competition this fall we are faced with a new and unique problem for a Troy football team. For the first time in our history everyone will be trying to beat us because we are the champions instead of the other way around. Alumni should be proud of the fact that no longer is the Red Wave taken so lightly by our opponents.

Those of you who follow the progress of our football team through the sports pages know that we lost only one man from last year's squad that posted an 8-2 record. Kicking specialist Danny Moore of Dothan was the only graduate from a team that placed nine men on the Alabama Collegiate Conference all-star team.

With all these returnees it would be easy for our athletes and coaching staff to be complacent and not work as hard preparing for the season ahead. Of course, if this happens, we will have a dismal season even though our personnel have plenty of game experience. I do not look for this to happen however, as our people are dedicated to excellence and will watch for any signs of letting up or taking things easy because we are on top. We like it up there and plan to stay for quite a while.

While on the subject of coaches let me say I feel we have two outstanding men in Phillip Creel, Auburn, and Max Howell, Troy State. You will not find a better pair in the country. Also John Anderson, our trainer, deserves much of the credit for the success of our team. John keeps the boys healthy and this means a great deal to us.

I have been asked to explain how Alumni can help the Red Wave. I am proud to say many of you have been aiding us in a wonderful way already but any school the size of ours needs money for athletic scholarships and ours is no different. The institution supplies us with a certain number each year but additional help must come from Alumni and friends.

Mr. Bill Beck of Troy has organized a Red Wave Boosters Club which is aiding us considerably by raising funds for the football program. For a \$25.00 membership you will receive a membership card and special privileges at local games. Those interested should write Mr. Bill Beck at P.O. Box 375, Troy, Alabama.

As I stated earlier, we should have another good year in '68. I hope Alumni and friends from all over the south will visit with us. We need your support. — *William E. (Billy) Atkins.*

RED WAVE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

1968

Sept. 14	Samford University — B'ham, Ala.
Sept. 21	Gordon Military Col. — TROY
Sept. 28	Livingston State Col. — Mont., Ala.
Oct. 5	Sam Houston State Col. — Dothan
Oct. 12	Delta State Col. — TROY
Oct. 19	Jacksonville State Univ. — Jacksonville, Ala.
Oct. 26	Florence State Col. — Florence, Ala.
Nov. 2	McNeese State Col. — TROY
Nov. 9	UTMB — Martin, Tennessee
Nov. 16	Concord Col. — Troy (HC)

1969

Sept. 13	Samford U. — TROY
Sept. 20	Austin Peay St. U. — Clarksville
Sept. 27	Livingston St. U. — site to be determined
Oct. 4	Sam Houston St. Col. — Huntsville, Texas
Oct. 11	Delta St. Col. — Cleveland, Miss.
Oct. 18	Jacksonville U. — TROY
Oct. 25	Florence St. Col. — TROY
Nov. 1	McNeese St. Col. — Lake Charles, La.
Nov. 8	UTM — TROY
Nov. 15	University of Chattanooga — Chattanooga, Tenn.




E. F. Dunbar, Troy businessman, makes his seventh annual gift to Troy State University in the amount of \$1,400 to be used for student loans. The E. F. & Mable W. Dunbar scholarship fund was established in 1962 and through the matching funds program has enabled the University to provide \$77,000 to students. Shown with "Mr. Ed" are Roy Jeffcoat and President Ralph Adams.

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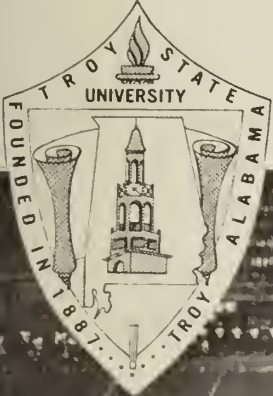
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FINANCIAL AID

One of the major deterrents facing young men and women in their pursuit of higher education is a lack of sufficient economic resources. Without additional financial aid, many promising students find a desire for a college education to be only a dream. We in the Financial Aids office are attempting to provide financial assistance to as many students as possible who have demonstrated a sincere desire to acquire a college education.

The Financial Aids Office is a division of Student Personnel Services and administers all student aid programs except the Student Employment and Graduate Scholarship Programs. Prior to the establishment of the Financial Aids Office in September of 1967, an Aid Program was administered by a member of the academic faculty and then by the director of student activities. The tremendous increase in the number of aid programs and resources available necessitated an establishment of a central office in order to provide our students and their families the opportunity to benefit from these new and increased sources of revenue.

The Financial Aid Program began a rapid growth in 1958 with the enactment of the Nation Defense Education Act which established the National Defense Student Loan Program. The Higher Education Acts of 1964, 1965, and 1968 have initiated three new student aid programs which have had a tremendous impact for Troy State University students. In the 1967-68 school year, 1,350 students or 48% of our student body received \$875,000, in loans, grants, job, and scholarships as compared to 1,150 students or 42% of the student body who received \$700,000 during the preceding school term. I estimate that 1600 students or approximately 52% of the students on the main campus will receive in excess of \$1,100,000 from these same sources during this 1968-69 academic year.

Continued- FINANCIAL AID

Two programs — the University Student Work Program and the College Work-Study Program are also available to students needing additional income from part-time jobs to defray some of the costs of attending college. These students work ten or fifteen hours per week and are paid from one dollar fifteen cents to one dollar thirty cents per hour.

In addition to these programs, an increasing number of veterans and/or their dependents are benefiting from the new Federal G. I. Bill, War Orphans Act, and the Alabama G. I. and Dependent Bill and others receive benefits from the Vocational Rehabilitation Service and related programs.

In recognition of Alabama's need to retain the academically talented students after graduation from college, we expanded our institutional scholarship program in March of 1967 to provide scholarships to academically superior students with hope that they will remain in Alabama after completing their college education. This program has been most successful.

The Financial Aids Office is constantly seeking means to inform prospective students of the opportunities available to them at Troy State. We ask high school principals, guidance counselors, and junior college personnel to inform their students of the opportunities available to them and/or refer them to us at, Box H, Troy State University, for additional information.

The future growth of financial aid programs at Troy State University depends upon our ability to secure private contributions to be used for scholarships and for matching federal funds. Alumni and all other Troy State University supporters are urged to participate in these programs. All contributions should be mailed to Mr. Roy Jeffcoat, Director of Special Services.

Charles Parker, Troy State University Reading Center Director spent his summer conducting workshops in reading at home and abroad with students from the international cast of "Sing Out High School".

Mr. Parker's travels took him to 20 foreign countries. He packed his TSU lab in a suitcase and taught in such places as a ferry crossing the St. Lawrence River, Catholic Convents, and in a bus crossing the Chesapeake Bay.

Many times he had to use interpreters to get his "reading" across.



ALUMNI NEWS

FOR FALL QUARTER 1968

Where They Are and What They Are Doing

MYRTLE VINSON BOND '49 is employed by the Opelika Board of Education and teaches the 6th grade. Her mailing address is Glenn St., Opelika, Ala.

LARRY PURDY '63 is Registrar at Yancey State Junior College, Bay Minette, Ala.

GROVER A. GIBBS, JR. '65 and wife (BILLIE STROTHER) now live at 612 Lime St., Marianna, Fla.

WARREN CLAY MUNDY, JR. '64 is a Programmer Analyst for Colonial Stores, Inc., Atlanta, Ga. Mailing address is 3072 Washington, Apt. D4, East Point, Ga.

E. DOUGLAS INGRAM '67 is a Marketing Representative for American Oil Co. His mailing address is 3727 Taliwa Gardens, Knoxville, Tenn.

JAMES BERNARD CROWLEY '63 is currently working on his masters degree at the University of Alabama. Address is 825 Bayshore Drive, Apt. 401, Warrington, Fla.

MARION JONES RANALLO '63 is a teacher and adult education instructor. Address is Box 192, Apalachicola, Fla.

JOSEPH C. PICKETT '66 is now serving with the US Navy in the Pacific area as a Radioman. Home address is 128 Glenwood Ave., Troy, Ala.

RONNIE STAFFORD '67 is an assistant guidance counselor at Daniel Junior High in Columbus, Ga.

WADE HALL '53 is Chairman of the English Dept., Kentucky Southern College, Louisville, Ky. Home address is 9203 Tanglely Lane, Louisville.

MRS. EDWARD SILBER is now living in LaHabra, Calif. where she was recently named Woman of the Year by the LaHabra Woman's Club and also named to the 1968 edition of Outstanding Young Women of America.

JOANNE GODWIN '59 is teaching at Jonesboro Senior High School, Jonesboro, Ga. Her address is 310 West Ave., Apt. B.

VERNON STEED '57 has been named as Principal of Pike County High School, Brundidge, Ala.

REV. HENRY L. LYON, III received an honorary Doctor of Humanities degree during summer graduation exercises August 9. Lyon was presented the degree by the Troy State Board of Trustees for his outstanding contributions to his fellow man and his state.

BILL WALKER '65 was recently appointed by Gov. Albert Brewer as head of the State Commission on Physical Fitness.

THOMAS SCOTT BEAVERS '68 is now a sixth grade teacher at Stevenson Elementary School, Cocoa Beach, Florida. His address is 4125 West End Road, Apt. 4, Cocoa Beach, Fla.

WANDA HUGHES SNUGGS '63 teaches math at Dykes Junior-Senior High in Atlanta. Her address is 99 Copeland Road, NE, Apt. A19, Atlanta, Ga.

MR. AND MRS. LAWRENCE R. SMITH '60 (Edith Hughes '61) now reside at 3710 Westgate Road, Orlando, Fla. Mrs. Smith has taught English at Winter Park High School for the past four years. Mr. Smith is territorial manager for Itek Business Products in Orlando.

LAWRENCE G. WILSON '66 is employed as an analytical Chemist at Geigy Chemical Corp., McIntosh, Alabama. His address is 1901 Hunter Ave., Mobile, Ala.

GARY J. CONFESSORE '68 has joined the faculty of Norwich University, Northfield, Vermont as an instructor in Education.

SUSIE C. SEYMOUR '63 teaches commercial subjects at Rutherford High School. Her address is 204 Harmon Ave., Panama City, Fla.

CHARLES CONRAD DiMICHELE received a M.A. degree from Mississippi College on August 16, 1968.

CARLICE E. FLOWERS is Administrator for the Southeast Alabama Crippled Children's Clinic at the Rehabilitation Center in Dothan, Alabama.

WARREN L. JONES, is Contract Procurement and Placement Counselor for the Southeast Alabama Crippled Children's Clinic at the Rehabilitation Center in Dothan, Alabama. Mr. Jones is also "Doing the Color" for the Red Wave games over Radio WOOF, Dothan, Ala.

In Memoriam

JOE T. VANN, an alumnus of the Troy Normal School, died July 22, 1968 of a heart attack at the age of 66. He had been in business in Troy in the same location for 43 years.

REV. HENRY H. CUMBIE '59 and wife, the former MYRIAM MATTHEWS of Troy, were killed instantly August 1, 1968 when their car skidded into the path of a trailer truck on a rain slick road. They were returning home from the Baptist Assembly in North Carolina. They are survived by their five children.

PHYSICAL PLANT DEPARTMENT



The Physical Plant Department is the service organization for the University. It is charged with the responsibility of operating and maintaining the University's physical facilities, the care of the grounds and landscaping and the care of the golf course, stadium, baseball field and other physical education and recreation areas.

The campus covers two hundred and eighty acres, one hundred and seventy-five of which are intensively maintained. There are twenty-one permanent buildings on the campus containing approximately three-quarter million square feet of floor space. There is an average campus population of some thirty-five hundred people using these facilities when the University is in session. Housing is provided for approximately one-half of the University's three thousand on campus enrollment with feeding facilities accommodating sixteen hundred and twenty-five students.

To operate and maintain these facilities and to provide the many and varied services required by the University an annual operating budget in excess of one-half million dollars is expended and a force of eighty-five full time employees, qualified in many trades such as electrical, mechanical, air conditioning, refrigeration, carpentry, painting, landscaping and housekeeping, are required.

A security force is included in the organization of the Physical Plant Department. They are charged with the responsibility of security and welfare of the students, faculty, staff, employees and others who are on the campus. Traffic and security of physical facilities are also their responsibility. They patrol the campus twenty-four hours per day, seven days a week providing these services.

Football and other athletic and special events scheduled on the campus greatly involves Physical Plant as they prepare the fields, make physical arrangements, handle traffic and provide police services necessary for these activities.

The Physical Plant Department plays an active part in the planning, design and construction of new buildings. A million and one-half dollar library building is now under construction which is scheduled for occupancy during the summer of 1969. A fifty unit married student apartment project is being designed with completion date scheduled for 1969 in time to permit occupancy for the fall quarter. The long range master plan provides space for twelve additional academic buildings, a union building, an athletic building, a swimming pool, expansion to the stadium, an enlarged health center, seven dormitories with required dining hall facilities and enlargement of the Physical Plant Maintenance Building.

Employees and personnel of the Physical Plant Department are aware that their purpose for being on the campus is to provide physical facilities and services necessary for the academic program and its related activities and they are always eager to see that the needs of the students, faculty, and staff are provided.

Fall enrollment at Troy State University main campus was over 3200, total T.S.U. enrollment over 4,000.



THE DIRECTOR SPEAKS.....

The physical facilities on the campus have expanded at a fantastic rate. There have been few months in the past few years when there hasn't been a building going up somewhere on the campus. This year is no exception with the new Library Center under construction and other buildings planned. The University is utilizing its facilities to provide the finest in education for the sons and daughters of Alabama, and is continually striving for higher stature and recognition.

Alumni have adopted a program of Annual Giving to accelerate Troy's progress toward new goals. Your annual support will deepen your involvement in the destiny of Troy State University.

Fourteen separate scholarship programs are administered by our office, funded with institutional, private, and alumni contributions. Three loan programs, including the National Defense Student Loan Program, are also available. Students receiving benefits from these programs do not initiate repayment of their loans until one year after they leave Troy State. The current interest rate on educational loans is 3% per annum, but interest does not accrue until nine months after the student leaves school.

Roy E. Jeffcoat

ALUMNI ON THE MOVE

With the continuous increase in the number of alumni, it is impossible to maintain accurate alumni association address records without help from alumni themselves. If you are planning to move, or in the process of moving, or have moved recently, the ALUMNUS will appreciate receiving this information. Please help locate lost alumni

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GRADUATION SUMMER 1968

Summer graduation was the largest ever at TSU and Governor Albert Brewer responded with an inspiring message for the graduates and friends.



An honorary doctorate went to the Rev. Henry Lyon III of Selma.

Forty-eight students received master's degrees and 139 bachelor's degrees.

President Ralph Adams greeted the Governor on behalf of the University.

Shown below (L-R) Vice President McDaniel, Vice President Wilks, Rev. Henry Lyon III, President Adams, Governor Brewer, Rev. Henry Lyon II, Vice President Stabler.





Dr. Ralph Adams, president of Troy State University, poses with five of the Allied officers from Air University who toured Troy State recently. Left to right are: Captain Nangyalai Gafarshad, Afghanistan; Captain Sri Hartani, Indonesia; Captain Chien-Shuo Chang, China; Dr. Adams; Captain Ciriaco Reyes, Philippines; and Captain John Efthimiou, Greece.



Sim Byrd and Jim Gillespie were named the outstanding back and lineman in the NAIA semi-final game in Montgomery. Byrd threw for 6 touchdown passes and Gillespie had 11 unassisted tackles in Troy's 63 - 10 victory.

At press time, Troy had a December 14 game with Texas A & I for the national championship.

ACTION ON THE CAMPUS



The Troy State University Band performed on national TV at the halftime of the New York Jet-Boston Patriot game in Birmingham. Fans gave the Troy youngsters a standing ovation. Other appearances by the Sound of the South were in Valdosta, Georgia, Dothan and Montgomery, Alabama.



Dayton Allen Long, Senior from Bay Minette, Alabama will be Editor of the Tropolitan for the second year in a row.

Mr. Long will be happy to send the Tropolitan to interested Alumni. Subscription price is \$5.00 per year (36 issues). Address correspondence to Tropolitan, Box 50, Troy, Alabama 36081.

IN MEMORIAM:

*Dr. Emmett Kilpatrick 1891-1968
Master teacher. Troy State English
Department 1937-1961. He was Chairman
of the English Department when he
retired. Beloved by students, faculty,
and friends from all walks of life.*



Alumni in the Armed Forces

Chief Warrant Officer Perry Hopkins attended the summer graduation exercises. Officer Hopkins was an honor student at the Ft. Rucker branch and graduate at the University in 1967. He is one of the most decorated servicemen in the States.



Air Force Captain Robert N. Jones Jr. has been recognized for helping his unit earn the General Smith Trophy for 1968, the highest award in the Aerospace Defense Command. Captain Jones received his B. S. degree in 1964 from Troy State College. He is stationed at Gunter AFB, Ala. with the 32nd Air Division.

Chaplain (Captain) William L. Rhoads has been decorated with his second award of the Bronze Star Medal at Dover AFB, Del. He is stationed at Dover in a unit of the Military Airlift Command. Chaplain Rhoads, received his B. S. degree in 1959 from Troy University.



Army Second Lieutenant Charles R. Waller completed the introduction to environmental health engineering course at the Brooke Army Medical Center, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., July 3. Lt. Waller received a B.S. degree in 1967 from Troy State University.

Airman Billy J. Stinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Stinson of Georgiana, Ala. has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. Stinson received a B.S. degree in 1967 from Troy State University.

Captain Robert E. MacArgel was graduated with honors from the U. S. Air Force Air Command and Staff College at Maxwell AFB, Ala. The captain received his M.S. degree in 1968 at Troy State University and is a member of Beta Theta Pi.

Airman George J. Pepper III has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Keesler AFB, Miss. Airman Pepper received his B.S. degree from Troy State University.



William R. Turner, son of Mrs. Mary B. Turner, was commissioned an Army second Lieutenant after graduating from the Infantry Officer Candidate School, Ft. Benning, Ga., July 29. He received his B. S. degree in 1963 from Troy State University.

Captain Roderic R. Grubb is now serving duty at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam where he is a member of the Pacific Air Forces. Captain Grubb holds an M.S. degree from Troy State University.

Major James L. Driggers has assumed the position of director of safety at Tachikawa AB, Japan. He is a member of the Pacific Air Forces. Major Driggers received a B.S. degree in education in 1950 from Troy State College.



Captain Robert C. Holley was decorated with the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska. He received the medal for meritorious service as a detachment commander of the 375th Aeromedical Airlift Wing at Scott AFB, Ill. Captain Holley received a B.S. degree from Troy State University.





Troy State star Danny Grant of Ozark heads downfield with a Gordon punt as linebacker Jim Gillespie leads the way. Troy has what many call the nation's outstanding small college football team.

At press time, Troy State University had a December 14 date with Texas A & I for the National Small College Championship. Troy State defeated Williamette University of Salem, Oregon, 63 - 10 in the Semi-finals.

Troy finished the regular season with a 9 - 1 record and their second consecutive Alabama Collegiate Conference championship. Sixteen Troy State players made the All - ACC team.

Sim Byrd, Troy State University quarterback, has been singled out as one of the top three quarterbacks in the nation by A. E. Phillips of the San Diego Chargers. Phillips comment along with visits and inquirers from all AFL and NFL clubs, leads one to believe that Byrd will be one of the top draft choices if not the number one choice of the pro-clubs this year. Pro-clubs are also interested in Glynn Thompson, 270 lb. defensive tackle from Ocilla, Ga., Larry Groce, 215 lb., linebacker from Athens, Ala., Ronnie Shelley, 170 lb., junior safety man from Headland, Ala., and Frank Elmore, a senior safety from Gordo, Ala.



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One of the most memorable moments in the history of Troy State University was when the trophy was accepted for the national football championship. Accepting the award were football captains Glynn Thompson and Sim Byrd, Coach Billy Atkins, President Ralph Adams, and Athletic Director Earl Watson.

This issue of *Alumnus* salutes the National Champions—The Troy State University Red Wave.

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Troy State University

December 14, 1968, exactly one year to the day from becoming a University the Troy State Red Wave football team celebrated in grand style by winning the national NAIA small college championship. Two play-off victories were needed. Troy defeated the number three ranked team, Willamette University of Salem, Oregon, 63-10 and then polished off number one ranked Texas A&I 43-35 in the finals. Both games were played in Montgomery's Cramton Bowl.

Troy's Sim Byrd was named the outstanding back and Red Wave tight end Doug Taylor the outstanding lineman. Safetyman Ronnie Shelly broke national records as did Byrd and the team as a whole.



Football observers said never in the history of the game had finer small college teams ever faced each other for the national championship. The fans got their money's worth as Texas A&I and Troy turned loose high powered offensives that had defeated the best in the country.

It was a cold day in Montgomery but no Troy fan knew it. This was the first time in history a southern team had been in the play-offs and Red Wave supporters were there in force to back their team.

Pro scouts were at the game in abundance as were sports writers from all over the country. The air was thick with anticipation as the country's top two squads settled things about who was number one.

The Texas team had one of the best defensive secondaries in small college circles and it was a question mark as to whether Troy All-American Sim Byrd would be able to throw the ball on them.

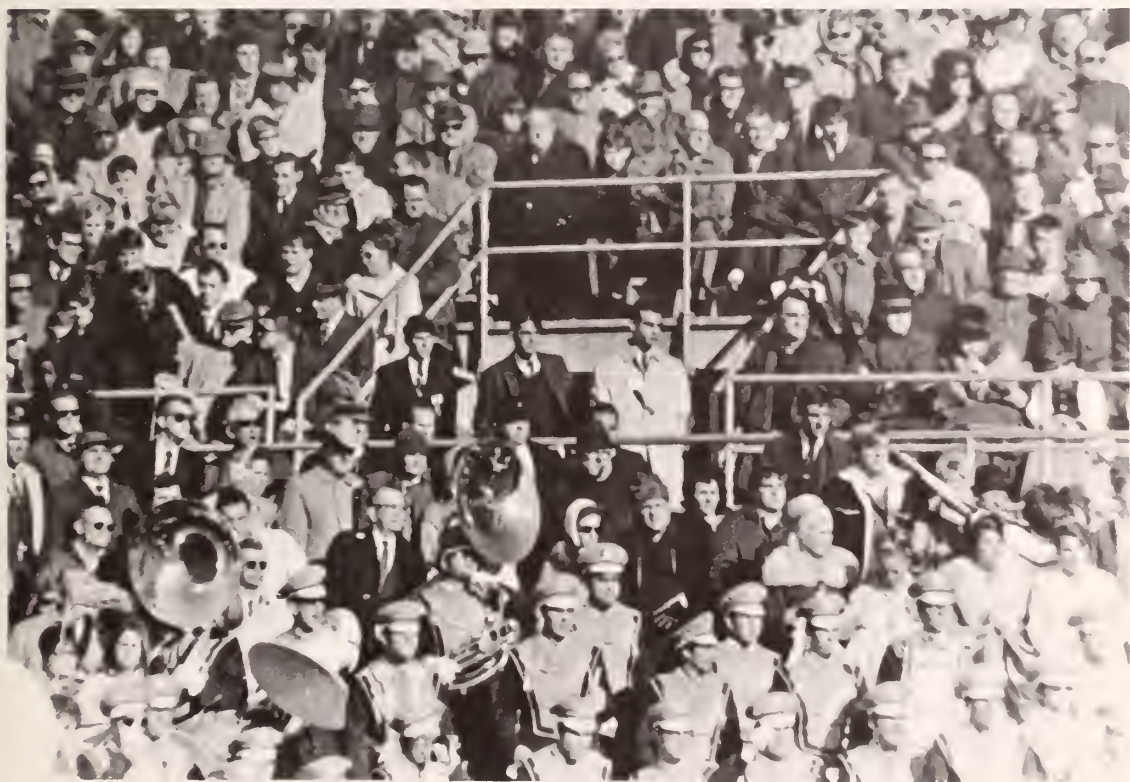


NAIA National Champs

It didn't take long to establish who would be the superior team this day as the Wave's high scoring machine forced the Javelinas to play catch-up ball and this could not be done against the toughness of the Red Wave line and interception minded Wave secondary. Troy had the game out of reach by the third quarter.

Troy ended the season with an 11-1 record and broke every existing record at the institution. Sim Byrd was first team All-American. Making second team All American was Ronnie Shelley. Jim Gillespie, Danny Grant, and Bob Enslen all made All-American lists. Sixteen Wave players made All-Alabama Collegiate Conference and nine of them made the NAIA All-District team.

After the game, Troy State supporters began a celebration that would last into the morning hours. Fans going back to Troy were greeted by "We're Number One" signs on motel billboards. Students that could not attend the game placed "Number One" signs at appropriate places on campus. Those staying in Montgomery awoke to cars that were frozen but they really didn't care. One player commented that maybe he could stay in Montgomery and relive the championship game for the next five years.





Season Review

The Road to the National Championship

1968 RESULTS

Troy State	Opponent	
49	Samford	31
47	Gordon	7
41	Livingston	23
37	Sam Houston	19
35	Delta State	23
31	Jacksonville	0
52	McNeese	0
3	U.T.M.	12
76	Concord	0
NAIA Semi-Final		
63	Willamette	10
NAIA Championship		
43	Texas A&I	35

Final Record 11-1

Alabama Collegiate Conference Champions

NAIA National Champions



ALL-ACC

Sim Byrd
Bob Enslen
Doug Taylor
George Hiers
Alvin Dees
Hugh Cole
Paul Brinsfield
Glynn Thompson
Jim Gillespie
Larry Groce
Ronnie Shelley
Danny Grant
Cecil Barber
Frank Elmore
David Cooper

ALL-DISTRICT NAIA

Sim Byrd
Bobby Enslen
Alvin Dees
Paul Brinsfield
Danny Grant
Don Hatcher
Glynn Thompson
Jim Gilliespie
Ronnie Shelley

Coach of the Year
NAIA District 27
Billy Atkins - Troy State





THE CHAMPS

(Reprinted editorial from THE BIRMINGHAM NEWS)

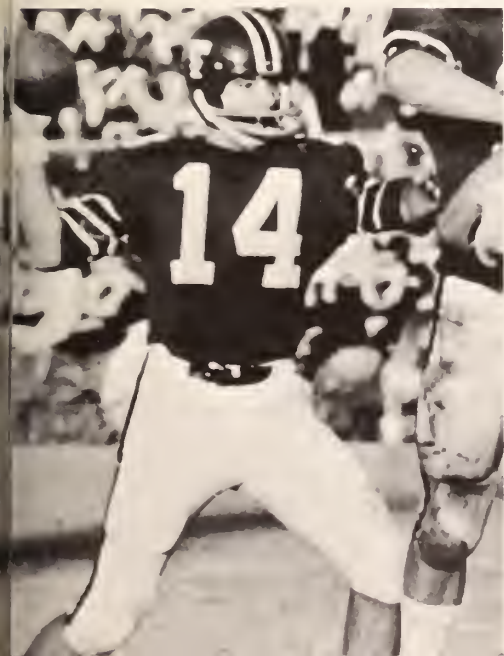
The alphabet doesn't mean a thing when the whistle blows, as Troy State University's Red Wave proved Saturday when they brought home the national NAIA football championship.

NAIA is alphabeticized as the smaller college version of its more prestigious big brother, the NCAA, which is the one you see on Autumn's Saturday TV and read about under the bigger sports page headlines on Sunday.

Dyed-in-the-wool pro football fans know, however, that many of the Sunday pro super-stars played their college football at schools whose names were little more than one line of agate type, which certainly proves something about the league Troy moved through to become best in the nation.

Everybody around Alabama knows about the fine job Auburn-produced Coach Billy Atkins and his associates, Phillip Creel and Max Howell, have done with their talented young men in three short seasons. Troy State didn't receive a No. 1 ranking because press associations and coaches voted for them. They won it the hard way, by meeting the best NAIA could offer in post-season playoffs.

They won it because they are the best and proved it, a performance that deserves the applause of all Alabamians.





THE DIRECTOR SPEAKS . . .

What has Troy State done for you? More appropriately, what have you done for Troy State? It is much easier to take pride in answering the first question than the latter. That is, some of us continue to be involved in the progress of the school and others think of Troy State merely as an institution of which we were once a part.

The days are gone when Troy State was considered a small rural college in southeast Alabama. Today we are on the road to becoming one of the leading institutions in the South. We have reached the point by having a good foundation from which to build—a foundation laid by you.

Monetary solicitations are important, but equally important are contributions which cannot be measured in terms of dollars and cents. These are but a few examples:

Supporting TSU activities, informing the Alumni Office of a change of address, and most assuredly saying with pride, "Troy State University is No. 1!" We are, you know!

Roy E. Jeffcoat

ALUMNI ON THE MOVE

With the continuous increase in the number of alumni, it is impossible to maintain accurate alumni association address records without help from alumni themselves. If you are planning to move, or in the process of moving, or have moved recently, the ALUMNUS will appreciate receiving this information. Please help locate lost alumni.

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____ Enclosed find \$5 joint dues for 1969.

____ Enclosed find \$ _____ for life membership.

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____ Contribution to Alumni Scholarship Fund.

Comments or News Item _____

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You are cordially invited to be an active member and supporter of the TSU Alumni Association.

*Troy State University
Alumni Association*

ALUMNI NEWS

FOR WINTER QUARTER 1968

Where They Are and What They Are Doing.

JAMES THEODORE MORRIS '67 is teaching 5th grade in Panama City, Florida. He requests that more men enter the teaching profession. He lives at P. O. Box 10-514, Panama City, Florida.

WILLIAM G. BOONE '64 is presently employed as a mathematician by International Business Machines Corporation. His home address is 1212 Oster Dr., N.W., Huntsville, Ala.

JOSEPH C. SHEFNER, JR. '66 is employed by West Point-Pepperell, Inc. as an accountant. He now lives at 400 Dewberry Lane, Lindate, Ga.

THOMAS B. STRINGER '60 is an assistant football coach at Baker High School, Columbus, Ga. His home is at 3436 Monticello Dr., Columbus.

JANICE SARTAIN HAYNES '55 is married to professor at Madison College (Dr. J.O. Haynes) and they have two children. Their home is at 276 Franklin St., Harrisburg, Va.

LESTER D. WALLACE '50 is an assistant Department Chairman, teacher of English, Speech, and drama at Pascack Hills High School, Montevale, N.J. His home is at 566-B Main Street, Hacheneack, N.J.

MRS. LESSIE WISE HUNTER '41 regrets that her health does not permit her to attend the Homecomings at Troy State. She lives at 3105 Angus Drive in Mobile, Ala.

KAY BITTNER FOUTS '58 is teaching at the Muscogee Elementary School in Columbus, Ga. She lives at 17-B Pine Terrace in Columbus.

CELBERT G. ARNOLD '38 is principal of Redan School in DeKalb County, Georgia. He is a resident of Redan, Ga.

DELANE OLDS '65 is a systems analyst with Columbia Direct Marketing Service. He lives at 2311 S. Fruitridge Ave., Terre Haute, Ind.

W. DAVID PRICE '64 is a member of the New York Society of Security Analyst and has been named an assistant investment officer of The Bank of New York. He is a resident of Troy.

ROBERT LEFTWICH '61 of 963 Sourwood Circle, Marietta, Georgia, is presently enrolled in Graduate School on a graduate fellowship in guidance at Western Carolina University.

SARAH POOLE SULLIVAN '51 is now living at 12 Burnham Court, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where her husband, LTC Roy Sullivan is attending the Command and General Staff College.

JOHN MILTON MOODY '64 along with his wife Andrea, is currently producing and directing the 11th Grade American History for a classroom supplement at the University of Alabama's educational television station.

MRS. THOMAS E. WEBB '63 of 100 Cherry Drive, Saraland, Alabama, is married and now teaching in the Mobile County system.

MRS. MANNA ELANE BARTON '66 is married and living with her husband and one son at Fort Benning, Georgia where her husband is an aviator with the army.

DR. BRYAN LINDSAY '56 and his wife Mary '58 are at home on their Wallaby ranch just north of Shalimar, Fla., where Bryan teaches part-time at the Okaloosa School for the Bewildered. Mary is a registered osteopath between practices.

MISS JUDITH STEPHENS PIERCE '66 of 414 Murphee Street, Troy, Ala., has been selected as an Outstanding Young Woman for 1968 and will appear in the 1968 edition of *Outstanding Young Women of America*.

MRS. RHETTA CREW JOHNSON '66 of Rt. 4 Troy, Ala., has been selected as an Outstanding Young Woman for 1968 and will appear in the 1968 edition of *Outstanding Young Women of America*.

MRS. CLAIRE HENDERSON MAY LUTZ, '64, 207 University Ave., Troy, Ala., has been selected as an Outstanding Young Woman for 1968 and will appear in the 1968 edition of *Outstanding Young Women of America*.

HUGHGIE W. BARRON '63 is teaching a primary mentally retarded class at the Pine Street Elementary School in Conyers, Rockdale County, Ga., and will finish work on her master degree in Special Education this summer at the University of Georgia in Athens, Ga.

MARTHA SUE BLAIR '65 is a fifth year level teacher at Saturn Elementary School at Cocoa, California.

MRS. MADIE BAYLES HORN '44 of Luverne has retired after 26 years of teaching. She taught at the Luverne Elementary School since 1921.

IN MEMORIAM

M.C. "CLIFF" MEREDITH, former sheriff of Covington County, died suddenly December 5, 1968. He had been currently serving as a special investigator for the Alabama State ABC Board.

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Lovely Ginger Creel of Pensacola, Florida, reigned over 1968 Homecoming activities at Troy State University and evidently brought luck to alumni and fans as Troy won their first Homecoming victory in many years.

The city of Troy outdid themselves on Appreciation Day held in conjunction with the TSU Homecoming. A massive parade with beautiful floats preceded the afternoon ball-game.



Action on Campus . . .

The Troy State University Foundation elected Mayor Earl James of Montgomery as chairman and in the near future will announce plans for fund-raising for the institution.

The Foundation was organized to receive funds from all sources to supplement those received from government.



Members of the Foundation from left to right are: Mr. O.R. Booker, Jr., Mayor Earl James, Mr. Wallace Malone, Jr., Mr. L. Clay Stabler, Jr., Mr. J. Brantley Wiley, Dr. Ralph Adams, Mr. Roy Jeffcoat, Mr. Corley Chapman, Mr. MacDowell Lee, and Mr. Frank S. Anderson.

Action on Campus

Studying a check for money raised in the second annual Charity Bowl game at Troy State University are Richard Myers, Theta Chi President and John Ferguson, Delta Chi President. The two fraternities played the game for the Cothee Lubert Scholarship Fund and raised \$435.64. This will be matched by available government funds. With the matching funds a total of \$4,356.40 was made available.

Last year this football game was given for the family of a Troy police officer killed in the line of duty.

Mr. Jack Solomon is presently at work with the TSU Playmakers for the winter production of "J.B." The Playmakers have gained state-wide stature for their dramatic efforts.

Troy State University cheerleaders are leading the Student Body in backing all Red Wave Intercollegiate teams. The cheerleaders are:

Twyla Ellis	Lowndes County
Diane Adams	Greenville
Ginger Payne	Jackson
Jackie Coker	Greenville
Butch Cauthen	Montgomery
John Klutz	Maxwell AFB
Floyd Johnson	Eclectic



Alumni in the Armed Forces

CAPTAIN ROBERT E. MACARGEL '68 is on duty at Takhi Royal Thai AFB in Thailand as an electronic warfare officer and a member of the Tactical Air Command in support of the Pacific Air Forces. Captain MacArgel is a member of Beta Theta Pi and is married to Gail Dochat of New Jersey.

CHAPLAIN (MAJOR) ROBERT E. HENDRICKS '52 has received the U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Keesler AFB, Mississippi; he was decorated for meritorious service at Ramstein AB, Germany. He was cited for displaying a high degree of professional competence and outstanding initiative in ministering to the religious needs of base personnel and their dependents. The former Barbara Rodgers is his wife. He is now at Keesler in a unit of the Air Training Command.

U.S. AIR FORCE CAPTAIN MARK S. BRIDGES JR. '63 is attending the Air University's Squadron Officer School at Maxwell AFB, Alabama. There he will receive 14 weeks of instruction in communicative skills, leadership, international relations, duties and responsibilities of the command-staff team, and aerospace doctrine. He is married to the former Mary McKenzie of Montgomery, Alabama.

ARMY COLONEL CRAWFORD BUCHANAN '63 is attending the U.S. Army War College in Missouri where he will complete the senior army school's 10-month curriculum in June. Col. Buchanan lives with his wife, Jean, at the war college.

U.S. AIR FORCE CAPTAIN WILLIAM C. LEACH '63 was decorated with the Bronze Star Medal at Sembach AB, Germany for meritorious service while engaged in military operations against Viet Cong forces. He is married to the former Jean Martin of Vicksburg, Mississippi.

CLYDE W. McLEOD '67 has been commissioned a second Lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Texas. He is married to the former Barbara Menaseo of Theodore, Alabama.

SGT. MARION E. HOLLOWAY '66 has served the past year in Vietnam. He is expected home in November. He is married to the former Diane Wallace of Enterprise.

SAN ANTONIO – Airman Warren E. Hanchey Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Hanchey, 436 Murphree, Troy, Ala., has received his first U.S. Air Force duty assignment after completing basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. The airman has been assigned to a unit of the Strategic Air Command at Castle AFB, Calif., for training and duty in the administrative field. Airman Hanchey was graduated in 1964 from Henderson High School and received his B.S. degree in 1968 from Troy State University.

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MRS. ELAINE CARMICHAEL, '61 of Goshen, Alabama, has been selected as an Outstanding Young Woman of America for 1968 and will appear in the 1968 edition of *Outstanding Young Women of America*.

MISS MARY SMITH '66 of Troy State University, Troy, Alabama, has been selected as an Outstanding Young Woman of America for 1968 and will appear in the 1968 edition of *Outstanding Young Women of America*.

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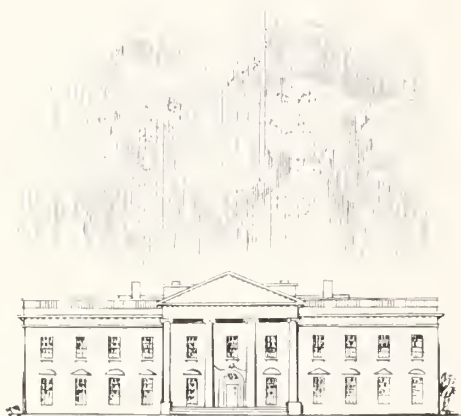
DEAN M. CRAIG '57 is a varsity basketball coach at Lakeview High School, Winter Garden, Fla.

ALDIE ATKINSON SHEPHERD CAMERON '53 recently retired from her teaching career at Red Level High School after 31½ years of work.

HENRI GODFREY CRAIG '57 teaches at Robinswood Jr. High School, Orlando, Fla.



JOHN M. LONG
Director of Bands



In one of the most memorable trips on record, the Troy State University Sound of the South escorted in the 37th President of the United States, Richard M. Nixon, and in the process represented the State of Alabama in a magnificent way by saluting her member of the new cabinet, Winton (Red) Blount, of Montgomery. This, incidently drew the attention of President Nixon who leaned over and pointed out the banner to the new Postmaster General.

The band performed in the parade under the tightest security measures ever made in an American city. Troops, local police, and secret service personnel kept check on the throngs of Americans watching the every four-year event. Two Marines were stationed on each Troy band bus to escort them to the parade area and a military escort sped them out of Washington at parade's end. All bands received the same treatment and it was evident that the people planning the parade knew what they were doing as no hitches developed as units were led in and out of the city.

The Sound of the South front units—drum major, flag corps, and Wavettes—flashed the new President a snappy salute as the band passed the reviewing stand in front of the Alabama float depicting the state's sesquicentennial.

It was not all parade for the Troy band members though. Time was taken for a tour of the Capitol on Sunday afternoon, and they spent enjoyable moments at such places as the Washington Monument, Lincoln Memorial, Arlington National Cemetery, and the changing of the guards at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

After the parade the band proceeded to Fort Lee, Virginia, where officers of the Quartermaster Corps gave them a tour of the base and a visit to their famous museum which was the high spot of the entire trip.

Troy State University Championship car tags are available and can be obtained from your Alumni Office. Price for the tags is \$1 and 25¢ for postage. The tags say "Troy State University-National Champions 1968."



Construction work on the University's Lurleen B. Wallace Educational Resources Center is progressing on schedule, according to the contractors, H. Lynn Blair of Alexander City.

Upon completion, the center will provide services and facilities to the University second to none. Mr. Kenneth Croslin is director of the New Center.



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When former Alabama Governor George Wallace visited the campus to teach the "Great Issues" class he greeted some visitors from England. Shown left to right are Mr. and Mrs. John Hill of Hitchen, England, TSU President Ralph Adams, Troy business man Frederick Henderson, TSU Director of Bands Johnny Long, and Director of University Relations Bill Buchannon.

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ALUMNUS IN ACTION

Spring quarter was a time for organizing as Alumni groups in Montgomery and Dothan were formed to continue with the Troy State program of expanding excellence.

Dothan, under the leadership of Gatha Owens ('49), held its organizational meeting in February. TSU President Dr. Ralph Adams gave a report on the accomplishments and goals of the University.

Temporary officers elected were: President, Gatha A. Owens; Vice-President, Charles McCall; Treasurer, Mrs. Travis Mixon III, and Secretary, Mrs. Raymond Garcia.

Latest addition to our Alumni groups is the Montgomery chapter. Thomas Harrison, a former president of the student body, spearheaded the drive for this chapter. Election of officers was tabled until the next meeting.

Among those in attendance were Mrs. Dora Haynes Parker (1917) and Mr. Tom Heath (1919).

President Ralph Adams, Coach Billy Atkins, Director of the TSU Foundation Roy Jeffcoat, Director of Alumni Relations Edward "Hoot" Gibson, and University Relations Director Bill Buchannon were present at the Montgomery meeting.

Board of Trustees Chairman McDowell Lee and member Robert Kelly of Montgomery were present to join the club.

Mr. Gibson presented the charter to the group after remarks by other guests. The TSU film "Expanding Excellence" was shown at the conclusion of the meeting.

Assisting Mr. Harrison in the formation were Flora Reece, Charles Collins, Robert Howell and Robert Gordon. Indications are that the Montgomery chapter will take the lead in having a strong local chapter active in the affairs of the University.



Fellowship and fun were the order of the evening as those present exchanged experiences of their days at Troy.

Both groups left looking forward to their next meeting and were already making plans to come to the campus in the near future.



Many other chapters are in the making. If you are interested in forming a chapter in your area contact the Alumni Office on campus and they will render all assistance.

Individual chapters adopt their own constitution and are completely self-governing. The university will help by supplying speakers, etc.

Future plans call for groups in Andalusia, Birmingham, and Fort Walton, Florida. Already active are Huntsville, Crenshaw County, and Jacksonville, Florida.



ALUMNI IN THE NEWS

Marvin K. McCullough ('64) of Titusville, Florida works for NASA at Kennedy Space Center. He is married to **Lurleen Messick McCullough**, a graduate of 1964.

Henry Griffith ('65) of Eclectic is now serving as a cottage parent in the Oliver Building of the Alabama Baptist Children's Home. He is also a teacher in the Ozark city schools.

F.B. "Red" Williams has been named the Huntsville manager for the Boeing Company. He is a native of Montgomery and Luverne and is married to the former **Ann Kelly**.

Jere LeMay Beck ('65) of Troy is now a senior at the Medical College of Alabama. He is now engaged to **Marie Teresa Chastain** of Gadsden.

Don Cargill ('63) was one of the five finalists in the LaGrange Jaycees search for the Outstanding Young Man of the Year. He is presently the Coordinator of Student Personnel Services at the Troup Technical School.

Roger Breland of Mobile is now the director of the Varsity Singers of Spring Hill Baptist Church of Mobile.

Wade Hall is now chairman of Kentucky Southern College's English Department. He was also named one of the nine "Outstanding Young Men" of Louisville, Kentucky.

Russell L. Irby ('64) of Eufaula is practicing law in Eufaula and teaching at Andrew College.

Hugh Fellows of Kissimmee, Florida is now employed as an engineer for Martin-Marietta Corporation in Orlando.

Larry Bassett ('55) of Carrollton, Georgia is now assistant Director of the Carrollton Vocational-Technical School.

Alma Black Peek ('54) has recently returned from Germany after teaching three years while her husband served a tour of duty with USAFE. She is now teaching first grade at Cedar Park School, Selma, Alabama.

Harold L. Helms ('59) of Reynolds, Georgia, is principal of Reynolds Elementary School, Reynolds, Georgia.

Mrs. Gloria Philpot Thurman and her husband are presently serving as missionaries in Pakistan.

Jefferson G. Golden ('68) Troy State University, Troy, has been added to the staff of the Financial Aids Office. He will be serving as Assistant Director of Financial Aids.

Jenny Mills Higginbotham is now in Hopewell, Va. where she is teaching reading in the seventh grade of Hopewell intermediate school.

Bert Henderson ('57) is the poet laureate of Alabama and he is the author of five books of poetry. In addition to this, he is also connected with the Whitley Hotel in Montgomery, Ala.

James Perry Key is employed by the State Military Department in Brundidge. He is married to the former **Paulette Taylor** of Troy.

Michael K. Murphree ('61) of Jacksonville, Fla. was recently promoted to Area Manager of Betz Laboratory, Inc.

Earl S. Chancellor is the American Red Cross assistant field director at Ft. Bragg. He was recently chosen to accompany paratroopers to Korea where he is to carry out his job with the Red Cross.

Fletcher Gillis ('39) will be the new principal of McCall School, Brewton, Ala.

IN MEMORIAM

Gareth Wells, a 2nd Lieutenant with the 101 Airborne Division, was recently killed in action in Vietnam. Wells, who was making a career of the service, had been in Vietnam since March. He had 5 years in the service as a paratrooper.

Daniel Shell, Jr., a student at Troy State, was killed recently in a car-motorcycle mishap. He was a resident of Montgomery.

RESOURCES CENTER ISSUES NEW RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY WRITING SERIES



MR. KENNETH CROSLIN

Mr. Kenneth Croslin, Director of the Educational Resources Center, recently announced plans for a series of scholarly studies to be issued by TSU Press, a division of the Center. The series, entitled *TSU Writings and Research*, reflects a growing desire on the part of the TSU faculty and student body to give expression to scholarship.

In discussing the new series, Mr. Croslin stated that it is designed to stimulate quality research and writing by members of the academic community. "The care given scholarly writing", he continued, "is one of the most important criteria by which an institution of higher learning is judged."

MEDIEVAL STUDIES, the first in the series, is a selection of undergraduate papers on Chaucer's poetry and his times edited by Dr. Joseph B. Roberts, Jr., Professor of English and Chairman of the Department of English at Troy State University. Dr. Roberts has selected seven outstanding papers written by students in his English 401 class during the fall quarter and has presented them, he explains in his "Foreword", in "a little book that might be passed on to other students for their enlightenment and inspiration; a small contribution to the continuing struggle against bibliophobia".

Dr. Roberts is a writer, scholar and teacher of many years experience. He came to Troy in August 1968, after retiring from the U.S. Air Force, where about half of his

twenty-one years of service was spent teaching English at either the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, New York, or the U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado. He has published learned articles in journals as well as book reviews, poetry, short stories, and non-fiction. His books include *FAINT VOICE CALLING* (poetry), *WEB OF OUR LIFE* (short stories), and *THE SOUND OF WINGS* (anthology). He has a B.A. from the University of Alabama (Phi Beta Kappa, 1950), an M.A. from the University of North Carolina (General Education Board-Rockefeller Foundation-Scholar, 1950-1951), and a Ph.D. from the University of Denver. He will be teaching classes in Chaucer, Shakespeare, and contemporary poetry during the Spring Quarter.

Student authors and the titles of their papers appearing in *MEDIEVAL STUDIES* are as follows: Sara Newton Carroll, "Exchange of Topics in Canterbury Conversations on Marriage"; Sybil Chapman, "The Wife of Bath"; Michele S. Morris, "Oswald the Reeve"; Mary Jane Emery, "The Prioress: A Realistic Portrayal"; Kathleen Lawrence, "The Prioress: Devout Nun or Hypocrite"; Betsy Blackwell Johnson, "Chaucer's Nun's Priest—A Master of Subtle Tone"; and Sue McDougald, "Church and Churchmen in Chaucer's England".

A limited number of copies are available from Mr. Kenneth Croslin, TSU Press, Troy State University, Troy, Alabama, 36081.

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GREAT ISSUES





One of the most exciting classes ever held on the TSU campus began in the spring quarter as President Ralph Adams hosted "Great Issues", a weekly forum with a faculty of five distinguished Alabamians. Mr. Ray Tindell of the History Department is serving as coordinator of the class.



Three Rhodes Scholars, Industrialist Earl McGowin, Judge Aubrey Cates, and attorney Herman Hamilton, Jr., are on the faculty giving Troy four Rhodes Scholars currently involved in the academic life of the institution.

In addition, Senator John Sparkman (D. Alabama) and former Alabama Governor George Wallace are on the staff giving students a broad spectrum of knowledge to examine.



A full Smith Auditorium has greeted the teachers as students have heard issues discussed such as Vietnam, housing economics, the third party movement, law and order, law and public opinion, history of the great powers and law versus conscience.

The format of the class allows the speaker time for his remarks plus question and answer sessions with the students.

Through "Great Issues" the University seeks to challenge the student to new social, cultural, and intellectual responses by offering contemporary topics of particular interest.

ALUMNI IN THE ARMED FORCES

Major Roderic R. Grubb '68 of Wichita, Kan. is now on duty at Phan Rang AB, Vietnam. He is married to the former Elaine Squires.



Lieutenant Colonel Howell W. Smith of Section, Alabama has received the U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Maxwell AFB, Ala. He was decorated as an instructor and curriculum directorate. He was also cited for his outstanding professional skill, knowledge and leadership. He is presently an education staff officer at Headquarters Air University.

AF Chief Master SGT. Victor S. Rodrock assigned at Maxwell AFB has been named the winner in the 1968 Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge letter writing contest. He is now a maintenance scheduling superintendent at Maxwell.

Captain John R. Curtis '62 of Troy has been recognized for helping his unit earn the US Air Force Outstanding Unit Award. He is a pilot in the 437th Military Airlift Wing at Charleston AFB, S.C.

Chaplain Gerald H. Maddox of Troy has been chosen to attend Air University's Chaplain Orientation Course, Class 65-A. He is presently the minister of Park Street United Methodist Church in Troy, and he is a member of the 187th Combat Support Squadron, Dannelly Field, Montgomery.

George M. Jordan of Troy has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the US Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Captain Robert D. Hodgson '63 of Orlando, Fla. is a member of the 6100th Support Wing at Lachikawa AB, Japan. He and his unit recently earned the US Air Force Outstanding Unit Award. He will wear the distinctive service ribbon to mark his affiliation with the unit.



Airman First Class Jack L. Boozer of Jacksonville, Ala. has been named the Outstanding Airman in his unit at McClellan AFB, Calif. He is an administrative specialist selected for his exemplary conduct and duty performance.

Captain Marvin K. Vickers, Jr. '63 of Eufaula, Ala. received the Army Commendation Medal while serving with 1st Infantry Division at Ft. Hood, Texas.

The following graduates of Troy State contributed to the historical launch of the Apollo 8 which sent 3 astronauts into orbit around the moon—the most complex scientific and technological effort this nation has ever undertaken:

Paul E. Tidwell '49
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Andrew B. Crumbley '60
Murl H. Newberry '55
Paul W. Revels '65
Herschel W. Harmon '62
Orval E. Etheridge '57
Paul W. Howard '56
Carlton R. Boutwell '53

HISTORY BEING WRITTEN

(Editor's Note) Former Troy State President Dr. C.B. Smith is currently writing a history of the third quarter century of Troy State. His reasons for this important project are written by him below.)



Dr. C. B. Smith and Secretary Olivia Flowers, Brundidge.

WHY I CHOSE TO WRITE THE THIRD QUARTER CENTURY OF TROY STATE COLLEGE

My decision to write the *Third Quarter Century of Troy State College* emerged from the fact that my predecessor, Dr. E.M. Shackelford, wrote a first hand account of the *First Fifty Years*. Dr. Shackelford was connected with the Institution in some capacity for more than fifty years, as a teacher on the staff, as President, and as President Emeritus. I think it fortunate for education and for the public in general that he, as an eye witness, chose to write down the main facts about the establishment and development of the College at Troy through a full half century.

It happened that my connections with the College covered the next quarter century, thereby placing me in position to give a similar account for that period of time. And previous to this particular twenty-five years I was a student in the Normal School over a period of four years and a member of the graduating class of 1917. Even after 1917, my contacts with the College were continuous because, as a school administrator, I called upon the Normal School and later the Teachers College to recommend their best graduates to me as prospective teachers. This contact went on for many years. Then later as a member of the Alabama Department of Education, I held ultimate responsibility for teacher education in the State and for the certification of teachers.

In spite of these relationships, however, the main source of inspiration to write the *Third Quarter Century of Troy State College* was Dr. Shackelford's book. In the first place, his history proved to be very helpful to me through the years in many ways. Secondly, being an alumnus, I found it very interesting for personal reasons.

Another reason, however, outweighed all others. Before me was something unique and unusual, a first-hand half century account of one of Alabama's leading colleges. I felt that I really had an obligation to add another twenty-five years of eye witness history. Many alumni and friends agreed and urged it upon me. Such a task when completed would give the College more than seventy-five years of first-hand history.

At the present time I am giving almost full time to the task, after permitting too many interferences with the task. Nearly nine years have passed since I gave up the reins at the College and began to make notes for the writing job. The fourth quarter century is now well under way, and will deserve a sequential chapter which would round out over eighty years of eye witness history. It is not likely that many colleges in the land possess similar account.

Even though my account and Dr. Shackelford's are drawn from personal experience and observation and may carry a certain bias, they will be of immense value to the professional historian. In fact, most written history is derived from such personal records.

C.B. Smith
President Emeritus



JOHN M. LONG

John M. Long, TSU Band Head Is Selected Among 10 Outstanding

John M. Long, Troy State University Director of Bands, has been selected as one of the 10 Outstanding Musical Directors in the United States and Canada. The selection was made by The School Musician Director and Teacher magazine which has named the 10 outstanding directors for the last forty years.

Long was cited for his active participation in the work of the American School Band Directors Association and the excellence of his musical groups. His Troy State Band is generally considered to be the best collegiate band in the south and one of the best in the nation. They have made more national television appearances than any other

group. The Troy Band makes numerous pro game appearances and have appeared in such post-season classics as the Blue-Gray game and the Senior Bowl.

Johnny Long's concert bands have always been held in high regard by other directors. He produced a national champion band at Robert E. Lee High School in Montgomery, Alabama before joining the collegiate ranks at Troy State.

He received the Distinguished Service Award from the City of Montgomery in 1964 and the Alabama House of Representatives has, on several occasions, passed resolutions in his behalf. He has served as guest conductor, clinician, and adjudicator in Alabama, Tennessee, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, and South Carolina.

Long received his bachelor degree from Jacksonville State and his masters from the University of Alabama. He is past state chairman of the American School Band Directors Association, past state president of Phi Beta Mu, current state chairman of the National Band Association, a member of Phi Delta Kappa, Phi Mu Alpha, the College Band Directors Association, the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Troy Chamber of Commerce and the Troy Rotary Club. He is listed in "Who's Who in American Education." Long recently received a special award from the Troy Chamber of Commerce for his contributions to the community.

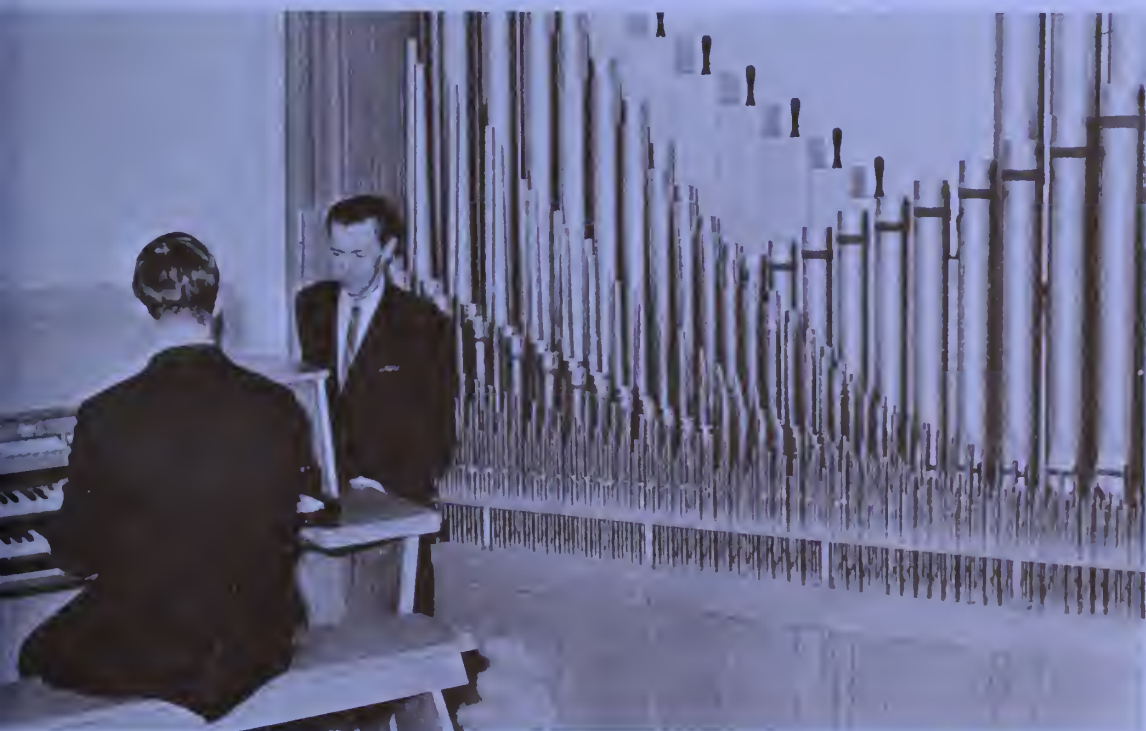
Long will be featured with the other nine outstanding directors in a forthcoming issue of the School Musician which is the national magazine for music teachers. He was notified of his selection by Forrest L. McAllister, the publisher.



W. E. Billy Atkins, Troy State University head football coach, was voted the N.A.I.A. Coach of the Year and was presented the honor in Kansas City. Presenting the honor was Harley Painter, President of the N.A.I.A. Coaches Association.



Joe Martin, Vice President of the TSU Student Government, was named winner of the 1969 Emil S. Liston Award, the highest scholarship award presented by the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics. Only one award is made in the nation and Joe accepted the honor Sunday, March 9, in Kansas City. He was presented the award by Dr. Eldon W. Graber, President of N.A.I.A. Joe is from Perry, Georgia and is the Rhodes Scholar nominee from Troy State.



Dr. Charles V. Farmer and Mr. Bill Denison look over the new organ recently attained by the Troy State Music Department. The addition of the new instrument will allow expansion of the course offerings of the music department and possibly lead to another degree offering program in church music.

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YEARBOOK WORKSHOP AT TROY STATE

One-hundred students from Alabama, Georgia, and Florida attended a week-long workshop for staffs of high school yearbooks on campus (June 30-July 4). Among those who attended were: from the left, Priscilla Bradshaw, Cottonwood; Beverly Barnes, Rehobeth; Wallace Waites, Troy State faculty sponsor for the University's yearbook, the Palladium; Janice Phillips, Cottonwood; Shirley Hatton, Wicksburg; and Myrtice Blount, Rehobeth.

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GRADUATION - 1969



An overflow crowd watched as a record number of graduates received degrees from Troy State at Spring graduation exercises. Speaker for the occasion was Dr. Andrew (Andy) Holt, President of the University of Tennessee.

Five hundred ninety nine obtained degrees and heard Dr. Holt speak on the "Care and Control of the Human Tongue."

Dr. Holt was made an honorary president of Troy State by TSU President Dr. Ralph Adams.



Among those attending were members of the Troy State Board of Trustees. Shown left are the Rev. Marvin Vickers, Dr. Holt, and Dr. Don McDaniel, TSU Vice President for Student Affairs. After the formal graduation ceremonies Dr. Holt continued to entertain guests at a luncheon at the President's home.

GRADUATION - 1969



Among those welcoming Dr. Holt to the campus (Above left to right) were: TSU Vice-Presidents L. Clay Stabler, Jr. and Dr. W. T. Wilks; Dr. Rudy Argenti, Mr. Robert M. Guilott; Mr. and Mrs. McDowell Lee, Dr. Holt, and President Adams.

To sum up the day many said, "That's the best graduation I have ever attended."



Al Capp, one of the best read and most widely celebrated humorists in United States history, will be the speaker at summer graduation exercises on Friday, August 15, 1969.

Capp is best known as the cartoonist-creator of Li'l Abner and gives his audiences not only a good laugh but satirical comment on politics, sex, law enforcement, the housing situation, and human rapacity.

In a recent address he stated, "I believe there are no underprivileged Americans; that even the humblest of us are born with a privilege that places us ahead of anyone else, anywhere else: the privilege of living and working in America, of repairing and renewing America; and one more privilege that no one seems to get much fun out of lately — the privilege of loving America."

ALUMNI IN THE NEWS

David Jackson Griffith '62 is presently employed as an aerospace engineer by TRW Systems, Inc. at the Manned Spacecraft Center, Houston, Texas. He and his wife (Arlene Kirchman '60) have just formed House of Griffith Co., a novelty stationery business in Houston. Their present address is 18290 Upper Bay Road, Apartment 11, Houston, Texas 77058.

Pearlie Heartsille Amison, a 1966 Troy State graduate, is presently teaching Junior High School physical education and English. She is married to Kenneth Amison and they have two children, Michael, 4, and Michelle, 10 months. Their address is Elba, Alabama 36323.

Ella Kate Allen Ham, 1964 graduate, is presently teaching music at Elba Elementary School. She is married to F. Kimmy Ham and they live in Elba with their daughter Lesley, nine months.

Linda Spurlin Rushing, a 1966 graduate, is a housewife and is married to Dykes Rushing of Elba. The Rushings have two children, Will, 5 and Taylor, 1.

Dykes T. Rushing, a 1963 graduate, is presently employed with the Alabama State Highway Department in Troy. He is married to the former Linda Spurlin. They live at Route 5, Elba, Ala.

Ann McInnish Wells, a 1967 graduate, works with the Pensions & Securities Office of Elba. She is married to Dwight Wells and they live in Elba, Ala.

Natalie Jones King, a 1961 graduate, is employed with the Kinston City School System as an English teacher. She is married to Bobby King and they have a son, Troy, 10 months. The Kings live in Elba, Alabama.

Martha Bailey Petrey, a 1966 graduate, is a housewife and mother. She is married to Kenneth Petrey and they have a daughter, Robin, 1 year. The Petreys live at 217 Opal Avenue, Pensacola, Florida.

Carol Brooks Hyland, a 1965 graduate, is teaching in the Business Department at Lee High School in Montgomery. She is married to Jim Hyland and they reside at 206-C Madison St. in Montgomery.

Cecilia Burkett Minder, a 1966 graduate, is a housewife and mother. She is married to Robert (Buddy) E. Minder and they live with their two children, Tracy 4 and Brent 2 in Elba, Alabama.

Yvonne Bryan Niven, a 1964 graduate, is presently teaching English at Little Rock, Arkansas. She is married to Charles Niven and they live at 5100 JFK Blvd., Apt. 6, North Little Rock, Arkansas 72116.

Morris L. Striplin, a 1965 graduate, is presently employed with the Alabama State Employment Office in Mobile. He is married to Joy Scott and they have two boys, Scot, 4 and Tony, 3. Their address is 1659 Darwood Drive, Mobile, Alabama 36605.

Mary Helen Trotter Fleming, a 1968 graduate, is a housewife and mother. She is married to Earl Fleming and they live with their infant son, Earl, Jr., in Ramer, Alabama.

Harry Clem received the honor of having the Samson, Alabama, High School Year Book, "The Samsonian" dedicated to him because of his understanding and concern.

Reverend Clifford Matthews is an evangelist for the Good Hope Crusade as a part of the Crusade of the Americas. He has served under the Baptist Home Mission Board since 1962, first in the Panama Canal Zone and now in Utica, New York. He is married to the former Peggy June Galloway of Terentum.

Mrs. Gertrude Steed had been principal of the Banks Junior High School from 1944 until her retirement on May 31, 1969. She will carry with her a silver tray for 25 years service and high praise from Dr. Harold Collins, Pike County Superintendent of Education.

Bill Joiner (1954) was recently named Sidney Lanier High School's new athletic director and head football coach. He will also retain his job of head basketball coach.

Cleta Ann Wise (1969) is teaching first grade at Cottonwood Elementary School.

Rev. Edward Barge Hood, Jr. (1967) is presently attending New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

Judith Thapton Houston (1963) attended New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary and is now employed by the Dale County Board of Education.

Glenda Ruth Grant (1966) has done graduate work at the Univ. of South Alabama and is now employed by the Monroe County Board of Education as a 5th grade teacher at Frisco City High.

Kathleen McInvade (1967) is presently employed by the Huntsville City Board of Education.

George Gilbert Mears (1969) is presently employed by the Continental National American Insurance Group in Tampa, Fla.

James Ray Ketchum is presently employed with Ford Motor Credit Company of Troy.

James Wright Freels is employed by the Union Carbide Corporation in Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Gwin Burkett has recently accepted a position on the coaching staff at Georgiana High School, Georgiana, Alabama, his home town. He will also be directing the summer recreation program.

James T. Sims (1954) is a mathematics instructor at Chipola Junior College in Marianna, Florida. He was chosen as "Teacher of the Year" by the students.

James A Parker has been appointed as Principal of Banks Junior High School. He was the principal of Trenton High School in Trenton, Florida.

Rex Wright (1943) of Tallahassee, Florida, has worked with the Florida State Department of Education for the last 10 years.

James L. Green (1968) of Wheaton, Illinois, is employed with Johnson and Johnson as a sterilization technician.

IN MEMORIAM

Dr. William B. Ryals (1938) of 107 James Street, Enterprise, Alabama, taught at Ft. Rucker, died recently.

Pete Crawley, a freshman from Banks, was fatally injured in a motorcycle-truck collision.

ACTION ON THE CAMPUS

TROY STATE READING CLINIC



Twenty-five teachers of reading courses attended a reading workshop at Troy State University the week of June 23-27. Five of them are shown working with an audiometer and a telebinocular, machines for testing the hearing and vision of readers. From the left, seated, Mrs. Louise Nichols, Straughn School, Andalusia, and Mrs. Anne Lester, Jacksonville High School. Standing, Mrs. J. M. Scarborough, Huntsville High School; Miss Pat McLeod, Daleville School; and Mrs. Jay Adams, Clio School.



Dr. Joseph B. Roberts, Jr., chairman of the Troy State University English Department, points out an interesting fact about the English curriculum to Dr. Hugh Holman, Provost of the University of North Carolina, who was on campus serving as consultant to Dr. Roberts' department. The English Department, with the aid of Dr. Holman, is examining its offerings to determine if changes or revisions are necessary.



SANITATION INSTITUTE AT T. S. U.

Over 200 sanitarians representing industry, public schools, universities, hospitals, and nursing homes attended a three-day institute on environmental and institutional sanitation at Troy State University the week of June 25-27. They came from all of the southern states. Mayor James Ray of Troy, center, welcomes Dr. Ira L. Myers, State Health Officer, left, to the institute. Right, President Ralph W. Adams.

FOUNDATION ACTIVITY



Miss Wanda Shipman, Troy, president of Gamma Beta Phi, educational fraternity, Troy State University chapter, presents check to President Ralph W. Adams from the organization. The money will be used to match Federal funds of \$1,000 for student financial aid. From the left, Roy E. Jeffcoat, Director, TSU Foundation; President Adams, Miss Shipman; and Don Crapps, faculty advisor for Gamma Beta Phi.

The residents of Alumni A, one wing of Troy State's Alumni Hall, a men's dormitory, have presented the Troy State Foundation with a gift of \$300 to match Federal funds for student aid making \$3,000 available. The \$300 came from a carnival conducted by the students. Left to right, David Stewart, Perry, Fla., president of Alumni A; President Ralph W. Adams; and James Houston, Director of Alumni A.



STEWARTS ESTABLISH TSU FUND

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lester Stewart of Pike County, whose address is Route 1, Glenwood, have established a memorial scholarship fund at Troy State University in memory of a deceased daughter and son.

Roy E. Jeffcoat, Director of the Troy State University Foundation, says that the memorial scholarship fund will be known as the Knox and Luella Stewart Memorial Scholarship Fund.

Luella Stewart attended Troy State from 1936 to 1938. She died while still a student in 1938. Knox Stewart died in 1968.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart said they will continue to make annual contributions to the memorial fund.

The Stewarts operate a plantation in Pike County and have no other children. A daughter-in-law, Mrs. Knox Stewart, is a teacher at Goshen High School.

President Ralph W. Adams expressed appreciation for the gift that will become a living memorial to the Stewart family. He said that assisting promising young people who wish to help themselves is an important function of the University's program of financial aid to students. Many are able to continue their studies only because of some type of financial assistance. Private support for scholarship and loan funds is a very real need at Troy State, he said.

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THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT DEPICTS PROGRESS



Dr. Ralph W. Adams, President of Troy State University, presented the institution's first annual report to the Alabama Legislature Tuesday afternoon, June 24. The published presentation analyzed in detail the life of the University during its eighty-second year of existence, its thirty-ninth year at its present location, and its first year as a university.

The report is dedicated to the people of the State of Alabama upon the first anniversary of the attainment of University status.

"As a multi-purpose communiversity, Troy State University is committed to expanding excellence," President Adams said. "This achievement necessitates energetic effort in academics, student life, physical facilities, and financial affairs. To render less than the optimum to any one segment of the University is to reduce the totality of learning."

The Troy State University President reported that the Troy Physical Plant is operating at capacity. He stated that because of increased enrollment and influx of personnel, expansion in this area must be accelerated.

"Planning, designing, and construction are already underway to provide the physical facilities and services needed," President Adams said.

The President reported that in its recent change to "University" status a variety of new academic objectives must emerge.

"As a University, Troy must continue and expand its responsibility for providing the best possible undergraduate program for the young men and women of Alabama; the graduate program, which is now carried on without any direct appropriations from the State, must be broadened in scope; research essential to the effectiveness of the educational program must be increased; and the sources which will enable the University to fully serve the citizens of this area through cooperation with other local, state, and federal government agencies must be developed," President Adams said.

The President reported that the administration of Troy State has given highest priority to the task of enlarging and improving the quality of the faculty. Current active improvement of staff should put the University above the 35% of doctorates which our accrediting association recommends.

One indication of the concern in seeking qualified teachers is found in the fact that fourteen of those now under contract are Phi Beta Kappas, and as such are recognized as

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having obtained the highest scholastic honor available to college and university graduates.

While placing stress on academic excellence in developing the teaching staff, the University recognizes the primary function of the teacher is to teach.

"As a result, it is believed the University is now developing one of the best teaching facilities to be found in this section of the United States. Students at Troy are taught by highly qualified teachers, never by graduate assistants, or other persons whose primary interest is other than teaching," President Adams said.

Increases in enrollment at Troy State, altogether a source of much satisfaction, has presented a major financial problem, Dr. Adams stated.

"When calculated on an equivalent student basis, Troy receives in state appropriations an amount below the average of all state supported colleges and emerging universities. Yet, to maintain the necessary quality instruction, the University has established a scale of faculty salaries above that of comparable state public supported institutions of higher education in this state. This has necessitated the most economical budgeting of the resources of the University and careful planning with respect to the teaching program. A reduction of the per-student cost of university instruction has been achieved through discouraging proliferation of courses, reducing the number of students enrolled in classes taught primarily by lecture supplemented by audio-visual aids, and by consolidating a number of fragmented courses into more comprehensive instructional blocks. This emphasis on more economical utilization of well qualified staff members has been done with the cooperation of the entire faculty," said the President.

The President reported at length on the student affairs of the University pointing out approximately fifteen hundred students received some \$1,200,000 in loans, grants, scholarships, workships, and other benefits through several institutional and federal programs.

The President concluded his report by stating that to continue quality improvements, financial sources must be increased.

President Adams said, "Troy State is grateful that its state support, while still not at the level to insure the quality program the institution would like to offer, has increased significantly during the last five years. This did allow support per student to increase from \$349.29 in 1962-63 to \$561.66 by 1967-68; however, enrollment increases in 1968-69 without increased state appropriations reduced the per student amount to \$463.44 in 1968-69, the lowest of any four-year institution in the state. Inequities exist in the levels of state appropriations between institutions offering similar programs."

President Adams summarized by saying, "Troy State University has no needs in and of itself; the needs of Troy State University are needs of the people it serves. Future contributions will be limited only by resources available for expanding present operations at this institution."

ALUMNI IN THE ARMED FORCES

Airman Donald L. White (1966) has graduated from a U.S. Air Force technical school at Keesler AFB, Mississippi. He was trained as an air traffic controller and has been assigned to a unit of the Air Force Communications Service at Dobbins AFB, Georgia.

Airman Bruce L. Hibel (1966) has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. He has been assigned to Presidio of Monterey, California for training as a language specialist.



BERNARD S. BALLARD

Captain Bernard S. Ballard (1964) has been awarded the United States Air Force silver pilot wings upon graduation at Moody AFB, Georgia. He is being assigned to Charleston AFB, South Carolina for flying duty with a unit of the Military Airlift Command.

Army Col. Crawford Buchanan (1963) of Bupon City, North Carolina was graduated from the U.S. Army War College at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania on June 16. He will be assigned duty at the U.S. Army Aviation School, Fort Rucker, Alabama.

Airman Coy R. Mills of Brantley, Alabama, has been assigned to Lowry AFB, Colorado for training as a purchasing specialist.

PVT-2 David P. Jones (1969) of Troy is a member of the 128th Military Police Company, Alabama Army National Guard in Clayton. He reported for six months active duty training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, May 26, 1969. He is specializing as a Military Policeman.

Col. Grady D. Gafford of Saraland, Alabama, has assumed the position of comptroller at Headquarters, Warner Robins Air Material Area, Robins AFB, Georgia.

William R. Miller is a captain in the USAF. He and his family reside at 601 Matthies Drive, Papillion, Nebraska.



CHARLES L. WESEN

Captain Charles L. Wesen earned his MA degree in education at Troy State University, Maxwell, in 1968. He has been decorated with the Air Force Commendation Medal at George AFB, California. He is now serving as a navigator in a unit of the Tactical Air Command at George.

Second Lieutenant Thomas M. Crowell (1969) of Letohatchee, Alabama, has been awarded the U.S. Air Force silver pilot wings upon graduation at Vance AFB, Oklahoma. Following specialized aircrew training, he will be assigned to Naha AB, Okinawa, for duty in a unit of the Pacific Air Force.

U.S. Air Force 1st Lt. Fred M. Steele III of Jackson, Miss., has been awarded an M.S. degree in education by Troy State University. He is an education and training officer at Maxwell AFB, Alabama.

Airman Frederick M. Stenens (1968) has recently completed his basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas and has been assigned to a unit of the Air Training Command at Columbus AFB, Mississippi.



ROGER L. BELL

Airman Roger L. Bell (1968) of Luverne, Alabama has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas, and has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Mississippi, for training in communications electronics system.

Captain Tony L. Roughton (1963) was graduated from the USAF Intelligence School and is presently assigned to Lakenheath, England.

HOMECOMING 1969

OCTOBER 25

That time of the year is fast approaching again — homecoming '69! Preliminary plans have been released by the Office of University Relations. This year proves to be an even more exciting and fun-filled event that last year's.

The same general timetable of events will occur this year as last. A bonfire and pep rally will be held on Friday night. The annual Alumni meeting (promised by Alumni President Fred Taylor to be the shortest ever) will be followed by a parade in downtown Troy on Saturday morning. Open house tours and a break for lunch will immediately precede the ball game. By the way, this year's contest will be against the Florence State Lions and is shaping up to be quite a battle. Game time is 2 P.M.

Troy State has changed considerably since you attended, but she is only as strong as are her Alumni. If you care to make any suggestions in regards to future homecoming festivities at Troy State University, please feel free to contact *your* Alumni office.

We are looking forward to seeing you in the fall and being of service to you in years to come.



The Troy State University Alumni Association has contributed \$2,000 to the National Defense Student Loan Program at the University making available \$20,000 in student aid. Fred M. Taylor, Andalusia, president of the Association, presents the check to President Ralph W. Adams. From the left, Edward Gibson, Alumni Director; President Adams; Taylor; Virgil Collins, alumni treasurer; and Roy E. Jeffcoat, Director of the Troy State University Foundation.

FACULTY NEWS



Mr. Eugene H. Sherman of the Troy State Business Department has been elected Chairman of the Faculty Athletic Committee for the 1969-70 year. Mr. Sherman will guide the group as it sets athletic policy at the institution. The Committee recently made a study of athletic committees at other institutions and adjusted their responsibilities accordingly.



Mrs. Jean Barr, a member of the TSU Music Department, recently hosted a workshop for elementary school music teachers. The workshop attracted over 200 persons who studied new methods and ways to communicate this important subject to their students.

NOMINATIONS WANTED FOR ALUMNUS OF YEAR

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF THE ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR OF TROY STATE UNIVERSITY

1. Nominee must be an Alumnus of Troy State University
2. He must have followed the philosophy and carried out the ideals of Troy State University.
3. He must have shown a continued interest in Troy State University.
4. He must have accomplished or achieved that which emphasizes or strengthens the above mentioned ideals and philosophy of Troy State University.
5. The nominee must have achieved outstanding success in his chosen field of endeavor.
6. Retirement does not disqualify a nominee for this award.
7. (a) One person in education and related fields will be selected.
(b) One person from business and industry will be selected.

Send nominations to Committee for Alumnus of the Year, Drawer L, Troy State University.



As a climax to the week-long workshop for staffs of high school yearbooks, Mrs. Dorothy Adams treated the students to a reception at the President's home. Over a hundred students from Alabama, Georgia and Florida dropped by to meet the first lady.

When Highway Director Bob Kendall cracked down on the litter on Alabama Highways, Eddie Smith, a Troy State University freshman from Florala, wanted to take special measures to clean up the Troy University Highway 231 between Montgomery and the Florida line. Drivers should be on the alert for Eddie who is known to get quite angry when paper is thrown from car windows.



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Troy State University Alumni were saddened at the untimely passing of Troy Chamber of Commerce Director Howard Lamar on January 4, 1970. Howard had directed the University Appreciation Day activities for many years, producing the parade at Homecoming and other related events.

The parade of this year, described in this issue, was a product of Howard and his staff. He will be missed.



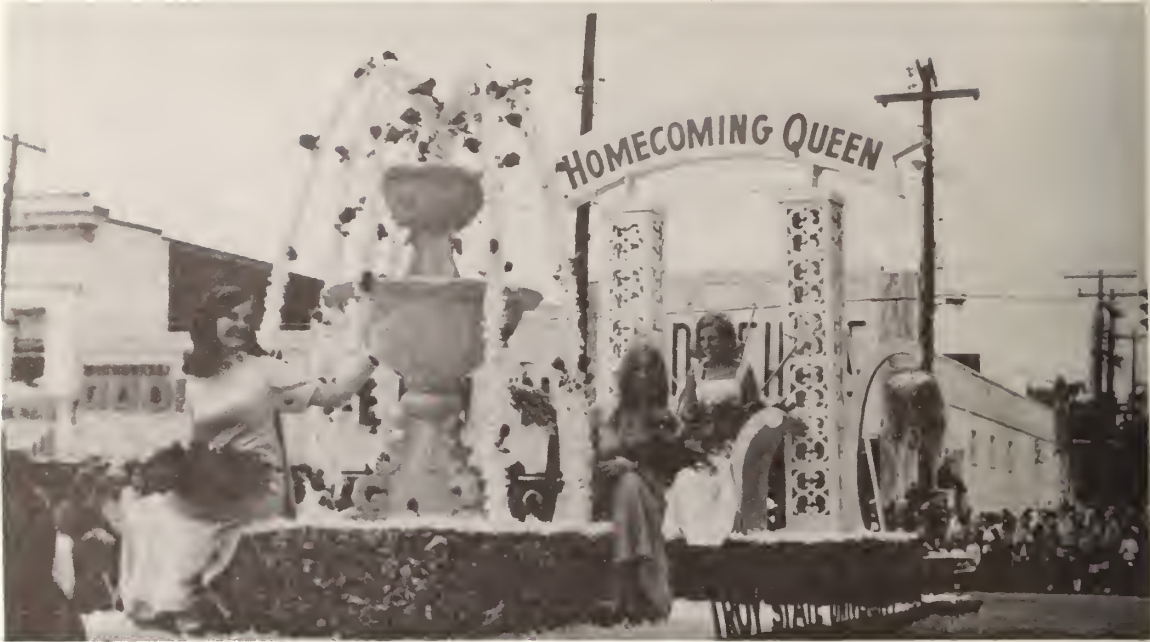
Visitors to the Troy State University Homecoming game included the young men of the Alabama Sheriff Association Boy's Ranch. Mr. Arthur Coker, Director of the University Housing and Conference Services, offers a few of the youngsters some refreshments.

The boys toured the university and spent the night in a residence hall in addition to attending the game.

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HOMECOMING 1969



Homecoming 1969 turned out to be just what it was billed as — the biggest and best in the school's history. Capacity turnouts greeted Alumni from early morning activity to the end that night.

Floats and residence hall displays were never prettier. The weatherman cooperated by supplying the grads with a beautiful day.

Iris Anne Graddy, a vivacious blonde from Dothan, reigned over the day. Iris Anne was crowned at the Homecoming Dance on Friday night.

The day was climaxed by the SGA's Big Name entertainment program after the ball game. Jerry Butler was the featured star.

There were no seats in the stadium as the Red Wave defeated arch-rival Florence to win their third consecutive Alabama Collegiate Conference championship.



HOMECOMING 1969



Happiness and joy is reflected in the face of Homecoming Queen Iris Anne Graddy as she is named to preside over the annual festivities.



Only sad part of the day was the injuries sustained by Director of Bands John Long. He fell from the bank at the stadium while checking on a detail for the halftime show.



LIBRARY DEDICATION BEGINS DAY



Miss Lee Wallace, daughter of the late Lurleen B. Wallace, cuts the ribbon to formally open the new Lurleen B. Wallace Educational Resources Center as Fred Taylor, Alumni President, sister Peggy and TSU President Dr. Ralph Adams look on.

Dedication services of the new Troy State University Lurleen B. Wallace Educational Resources Center began the formal meetings of homecoming. The dedication, just prior to the annual Alumni business meeting, was presided over by Alumni President Fred Taylor of Andalusia.

The dedication address by T.S.U. president Dr. Ralph Adams traced the history of libraries and dedicated the building to "a great and gracious lady." Peggy Wallace, daughter of the late Governor and a student at Troy, responded to the President's remarks. Another daughter, Lee, cut the ribbon to the interior of the building and another achievement of Troy State was officially recorded.

Director of the Educational Resources Center is Mr. Ken Croslin and he briefed alumni on the objectives of the new center. Visitors to the campus spent a great part of the day marveling at this wonderful new facility.

After the dedication Fred Taylor led Alumni through their annual business session. Promising to keep it short, Mr. Taylor did just that but those in attendance felt that he accomplished more in a short period of time than in previous years.

APPRECIATION PARADE BIGGEST EVER



The annual Homecoming Appreciation Day parade contained over 100 units with 40 floats, 20 bands, nine Shrine units and over 35 decorated cars.

The 40 floats included 23 from friends in Troy and 17 from the University.

The parade has been sponsored by the Troy Chamber of Commerce for the past 13 years as an expression of appreciation to the University on the part of the City of Troy and Pike County.

Under the direction of the late Howard Lamar, executive secretary of the Chamber, the largest parade of the 13 was evident in 1969.



Trophies were presented to winners in several categories at the University.

Following the parade a barbeque lunch was served to Alumni at the University prior to kickoff of the ball game.

It was a great day.



UNIVERSITY RELATIONS - ALUMNI CONCERN

To Troy State Alumni:

As you are aware changes have been made in the administrative structure at the University which directly affect the Alumni Association. Responsibility for Alumni Affairs has been placed under the Director of University Relations.

I am happy to report that positive action has been and is being made in the development of the University Alumni Program into one of the best and largest of its kind in the South. Of particular satisfaction to me so far has been the opportunity to work with Mr. Fred Taylor, President of the Alumni Association, a dynamic, capable man who can get a job done. He and I are in agreement as to what our problems are and courses of action to eliminate them have been agreed upon.

Many steps have been made already. We have just completed transferring all alumni records to the university computer making it possible for us to instantly have pertinent information about alumni. Members dues have been eliminated making everyone automatically a member of the Alumni Association. We have been, and will continue, to publish the *Alumnus Magazine* which is designed to keep you informed about activity on campus.

Our main objective, however, is to establish Alumni Chapters in cities throughout the south. As of this writing, plans are under way for seven new chapters in three different states to be organized in the next few months.

It is now appropriate to turn attention from the Alumni Association and its officers and the administration officers of the University to the role of the individual *Alumnus* acting for whatever reason or reasons in the life of Troy State. One of the more important roles that Alumni as individuals can become intensively involved with Troy State affairs is the increasing vital role of interpreting the institution, its people and programs to the many interested publics with which you must work on a daily basis. In other words, every time you mention that you are an alumnus of Troy State the institution receives value from it.

You could considerably influence an outstanding student to attend Troy. You could influence an outstanding businessman to make a contribution to our foundation. In other words, the image of the institution is based on not what our students make it but what our *former* students make it.

You can aid us greatly as an individual by keeping us informed. If you hear a person criticize the institution let us know the criticism. If there are services the institution can render in your area, let us know what the service might be. If there are potential donors in your area let us know who they are, in other words - *keep us informed*. No matter how small you might consider the information it might be of valuable aid to us in our planning.

In other words, become personally involved in the university relations of Troy State. Write us, call us, let us know what others are doing in your area.

We know that you will participate in the annual giving program to the extent that you can comfortably do so, but we need your participation much more than this. Troy State is an emerging institution with growth and progress coming each year. We can continue this growth and progress if you as an individual aid us in this endeavor.

Do us a favor and complete the form below so we may check our information.

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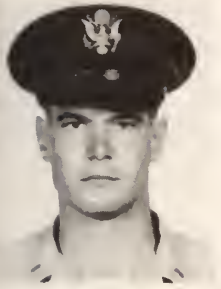
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BILL W. BUCHANNON
DIRECTOR OF UNIVERSITY RELATIONS

Thank you,
BILL W. BUCHANNON, Director

ALUMNI IN ARMED FORCES



Paul Mullins

Paul B. Mullins, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Thomas L. Mills, Jr., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

John I. Wall, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Second Lieutenant Clyde W. McLeod, has been awarded U. S. Air Force silver pilot wings upon graduation at Webb AFB, Texas.



Clyde W. McLeod

Captain V. B. Quick, a 1965 graduate, received Bronze Star. He is presently Company Commander 108th Qm Co., Fort Rucker, Alabama.

Airman First Class James C. Smith, Jr., a 1967 graduate of Montgomery, Ala., is on duty at Tan Son Nhut A. B., Vietnam. He is an administrative specialist in the 377th combat support group.

U.S. Air Force Captain Carlton B. Ellis, Jr. is on duty at Nakhon Phanom Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

Private First Class Jerry M. Swindall was awarded one of the Combat Infantryman Badges near Tay Ninh, Vietnam, Oct. 24th.

Airman Shepherd West, a 1969 graduate, has completed

basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Chaplain Wilds S. Dubose, Jr., a 1943 graduate, has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Wethersfield RAF Station, England.

U. S. Air Force Captain Carlton B. Ellis, Jr., a 1962 graduate, has received his B.X. degree at the Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

Laurance N. Fernald, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Robert E. Lindsey, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.



SNAVELY TO SERVE AS TSU ADVISOR

Troy State University President Dr. Ralph Adams has enlisted the aid of one of America's outstanding educators as an advisor to Troy State in its pursuit of excellence in scholarship. Dr. Guy E. Snavely has agreed to work with the faculty in planning various programs to stimulate a greater desire for academic excellence among TSU students.

Dr. Snavely has received 23 honorary doctorates from leading colleges and universities. He has served as senator of Phi Beta Kappa; national president of Omicron Delta Kappa; vice-chairman of the American Council on Education and has authored many books and articles.

Visiting with him on campus in the picture above were Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Ray Mathis, TSU; Dr. W. T. Wilks, TSU; Dr. and Mrs. Snavely; President Ralph Adams; L. Clay Stabler and Dr. Joe Roberts, TSU.

ACTION ON THE CAMPUS



Tom Marshall, President of the Southern Universities Student Government Association, visited Troy State recently and discussed student affairs with left, Buddy Sharpless, Troy State, State Chairman of SUSGA, and right President Ralph W. Adams.

The Troy Phi Beta Kappa Association met recently on the campus of Troy State University and set their objectives for the coming year.

The purpose of the Troy Phi Beta Kappa Association is to encourage student interest in scholarship and to support the University's attempts to raise the level of scholarship.

Officers of the Association are: Dr. Joe Roberts, President; Mrs. Marie Pierce, Vice President; and Mrs. Jean Mary, Secretary-Treasurer.



Dr. John Hill, Associate Professor of School Administration at the Fort Rucker Branch, Troy State University, attended the National Conference on the Education Professions Development Program, B-2 Section, in Washington D. C. on November 4-7, 1969.

Dr. Hill represented the Alabama State Department of Education and the Local School Systems in Alabama involved in the Education Professions Development Program.



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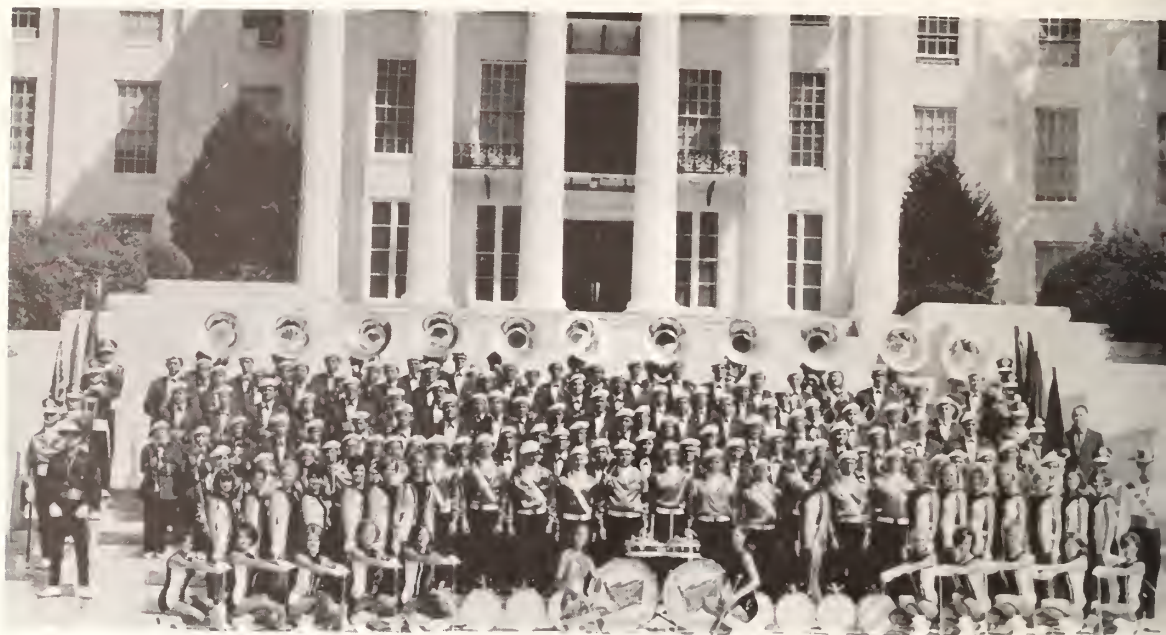
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SOUND OF THE SOUTH



The Troy State University Sound of the South Band under the direction of John M. Long accepted an invitation to be the featured band in Mobile's Senior Bowl January 10, 1970. The band performed before NBC's cameras and a capacity stadium audience.



The Troy State Collegiate Singers, under the direction of Dr. Charles Farmer, performed a Christmas program over the Mutual Broadcasting System during the holidays. The Singers were the only southern musical group participating in the special program.



Miss Mirian Smith

Miss Mirian Smith has "won her wings" and is now a stewardess with Delta Air Lines.

Steve Crowe, a 1967 graduate, has been employed by the State Farm Insurance Co. as field claim representative trainee.

Gilbert Dominquez, a 1969 graduate, and Sharon D. Mullinax, a graduate in 1963, have been employed as teachers in the Volusia County public school system.

Major Paul J. Wenzel, a graduate in 1969, is attending Army's Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Elaine Hall Smith, a 1965 graduate, is teaching at Cottonwood High School, Cottonwood, Alabama.

E. Lamar Andrews, a 1967 graduate, is a statistician with the State of Florida

Lucille Hoffman Searcy, a 1955 graduate, of Coalinga, California, is beginning her 29th year in Elementary Education as a third grade teacher at Coalinga Unified District.

Durel A. Hudson, a 1955 graduate, is an assistant director of N. F. Nunnally Vocational-Technical Institute at Childersburg, Alabama.

Jane P. Drake, a 1969 graduate, is a teacher of Biology and a cheerleader coach at Escambia County Senior High School.

REEVES NAMED ASSISTANT PHYSICAL PLANT DIRECTOR

Grady Homer Reeves, a native of Troy, Alabama, has been appointed Assistant Director of the Troy State University Physical Plant Department. He will assist Plant Director Melton Carter in the care and maintenance of the sprawling Troy State physical facilities.

Reeves was in private business in Troy and attended Troy State as a pre-engineering student. He has been employed by the Chemstrand Corporation for 15½ years, where he was in charge of all electrical power and construction.

He is a Master Mason, an elder of the Presbyterian Church, and served in the Atlantic and Pacific theaters during World War II.

Reeves is married to the former Sally Dunn of Troy. They have one child, a son.



RED WAVE A.C.C. CHAMPS



There was no national championship in 1969 for Troy State University, but the Red Wave wound up with the two next prizes — an impressive 8-1-1 winning record and its third straight Alabama Collegiate Conference title.

Despite injuries that had key personnel on the sidelines most of the season, Troy State still won big enough to stay in the national picture throughout the season. A 16-16 tie with Austin Peay and a 17-14 loss to McNeese knocked the 1968 champs out of a chance at the playoffs again.

The final poll had the Red Wave listed No. 7 among the top twenty NAIA football teams in the nation. Its defensive unit also received national prestige by finishing seventh in total defense, allowing opponents only 173.2 yards per game.

Looking ahead to 1970, Troy State will have to replace 11 seniors — 10 of whom were starters — but head coach Billy Atkins figures his Red Wave will be right back in the thick of the fight for another NAIA championship.





Dr. Andy Kozar, University of Tennessee, visited Troy recently as consultant to the Physical Education Department. Chatting with him on campus are Dr. Rudy Argenti, Chairman of Troy State's Physical Education Department, and President Ralph Adams.



Sir John Glubb, former British commander of the Jordan Army, lectured at the University recently on "The Middle East — Key to World Power." He is shown here talking with Miss Sherry Starling of Hurtsboro, Assistant Editor of the student newspaper, the Tropopolitan.

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HOMEcoming 1970

OCT. 31—TSU vs. McNEESE



The University of Michigan Band under the direction of Dr. William Revelli played its only Alabama concert at Troy State University during the month of May. The Michigan group received eight standing ovations and played four encores at the Troy State concert.

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Troy State University students participated in Earth Day activities during Spring quarter. On campus exhibits were displayed concerning pollution and problems concerned with the environment. Dr. Robert Dietz served as overall faculty chairman for the activities.

As a result of 450 boys and girls participation in the East Alabama Special Olympics held at Troy State University on Saturday, April 18, 1970, in Memorial Stadium, 120 boys and girls from the East Alabama Region were eligible to participate in the State Olympic Event held at Samford University in Birmingham, Alabama.

The participants eligible for the State Event were selected on the basis of performance times and distances in the various chronological age groups for boys and girls. Only the participants with the two best times or distances at the various levels were eligible for this meet.



Troy mayor, David Conrad, signs a proclamation proclaiming Special Olympics Day in Troy as Dr. Rudy Argenti, Chairman of the project and Troy State University President Ralph Adams look on.

NEWS FROM ON-CAMPUS



Thomas Harrison, a graduate of Troy State University and former president of the Troy State University SGA, has been employed by the University as Director of Prospective Student Services. Harrison was formerly Administrative Assistant to the Principal at Lanier High School in Montgomery.

He is a graduate of Greenville High School, Greenville, Alabama and did his graduate work at Auburn University in Montgomery. After teaching at Valley High and Lanier, he was assistant principal of Baldwin High School in Montgomery before assuming his job at Lanier.

He is married to the former Sarah McQueen of Ft. Deposit, Alabama. They have one child, Lee Anne, who is 18 months old.

Mr. Harrison will direct Troy State's endeavors to recruit outstanding students. All teachers who have students with exceptional talents and abilities should contact Mr. Harrison at the University.

YEARBOOK WORKSHOP SET JUNE 29 - JULY 2

The Third Annual Yearbook Workshop will meet June 29 through July 2 on the Troy State campus. This workshop will deal with the most advanced techniques of yearbook production at the high school and the college level. The features of the workshop include individual training and seminar sessions and instruction in the specialized categories of photography and business aids in problems that may arise in these areas.

Yearbook layout will be stressed by professionals in this field who will be on hand to offer their guidance. Appointments can be made with the workshop director, Mr. Waites, for an individual yearbook critique. Also, yearbook advisors will be given special sessions concerning problems that may arise.

The workshop will be under the direction of Wallace Waites, University Yearbook advisor at Troy State. Waites has designed a complete program for the training of yearbook staffs. Conducting the seminar sessions in layout and design will be Harold Humes, Taylor Publishing Company's Seminar Director. Mr. Humes has traveled throughout the country assisting high school and college staffs in preparing improved yearbooks. In charge of the photographic sessions will be Steve Neshem of Lorri Studios of Pensacola, Florida who deals in yearbook photography. Neshem will be available to advise on any photographic problems that might arise in production. Jim Robbins and Kenny Wilder of Taylor Publishing Company will be on hand to assist in the counseling of the staff members.

All Alumni should encourage their students to attend the workshop in order to improve their yearbooks. This third annual yearbook workshop will indeed be a unique opportunity for yearbook improvement.



ALUMNI IN THE NEWS

Evelyn Stephan Cox, daughter of Lenice Vaughan Stephan and the late Mr. L. L. Stephan, former members of the TSU faculty, and husband **George Mims Cox** graduated with the degree of Master of Arts at the University of Mississippi. Mr. & Mrs. Cox reside at Wewahitchka, Florida where Evelyn teaches and George is a business man.

Funeral services for **Mrs. Lena Lee Easterly** were held March 1st. Mrs. Easterly was 96 and one of the oldest Alumni. She received her teaching certificate in 1894.

Lloyd Randall has been appointed sales manager in the marketing organization of General Felt Products. He has been with this firm since 1963.

Joseph M. Dease, 1966, has been named regional claim supervisor at Salisbury, Md., for Aetna Life & Casualty. He joined Aetna in 1966.

Marsha Lewis, 1968, is head of the girls' physical education department and Jr. High cheerleader sponsor at Walton Jr. High in DeFuniak Springs, Fla. She is formerly from Geneva, Ala.

Nora F. Stephens, 1968, is presently teaching English and journalism at Butler High School in Huntsville. She is co-sponsor of the newspaper and annual. Mrs. Stephens is married to Jack W. Stephens.

Linwood Shaw Erb, 1969, is band director at Marion High School, Marion, Alabama. He is married to the former Linda Oliver.

Capt. Gary W. Stringfellow, 1969-BME Music, is head of the music department at The Marion Institute, Marion, Alabama.

NURSING SCHOOL SEEKS FALL APPLICANTS

Troy State University's new School of Nursing is now seeking applicants for the four year program open for admission in September. The school will offer the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree, the only program of its kind in South Alabama.

The program in nursing consists of a combination of courses in liberal arts and professional education in an academic setting. General education courses will be taken on the TSU campus with professional nursing courses and selected clinical experiences extending into community hospitals and health agencies in Montgomery and surrounding areas.

According to Sister Lucille Marie, Dean of the School of Nursing, scholarships, financial assistance, and loans are available to nursing students. Fifty (50) six hundred dollar scholarships per year are available to qualified students interested in the program.

High school seniors and others interested in the baccalaureate program should contact Sister Lucille at Troy State now in order to qualify. A nurse with a degree is one of the most sought after professional persons in the nation and there is a tremendous need in Alabama.

ALUMNI IN ARMED FORCES



JORDAN



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JONES

William B. Jones, 1970, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Airman Johnny A. Wright, 1967, has graduated at Keesler AFB, Mississippi, from the U.S. Air Force air traffic controller course.

Johnny B. Nipper, 1969, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Texas.

U. S. Air Force Technical Sergeant **Lewon E. Miller**, 1969, is on duty at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam.

Airman Shepherd West, 1967, has graduated from the technical training course at Lowry AFB, Colorado, for U.S. Air Force Inventory Specialists.

Johnny A. Wright has been promoted to Airman First Class in the U.S. Air Force.

Major Philip C. Lawton, MS, has been decorated with the Distinguished Flying Cross at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam.

Army Major Paul J. Wenzel, 1969, received his third award of the Army Commendation Medal at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

First Lieutenant Kerry E. Green, MS-1969, has received the U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Maxwell AFB, Alabama.

James C. Smith, Jr., 1967, has been promoted to sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

Harry G. Tatum has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School (OTS) at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Army Sergeant First Class Jessie O. Fox received the Bronze Star Medal during ceremonies at Ft. Rucker, Alabama.

Ronald M. Short was promoted to Army Specialist four while serving with the 287th Military Police Company in Europe.

Airman Delmar C. Jackson, 1969, has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the U.S. Air Force aircraft mechanics course.

Second Lieutenant George M. Jordan, 1967, has been awarded U.S. Air Force silver pilot wings upon graduation at Randolph AFB, Tex.

U.S. Air Force Major Robert E. MacArgel has been decorated with the Distinguished Flying Cross and two awards of the Air Medal for air action in Southeast Asia.

Major Don B. Kincaid, 1968, is a member of a unit that has earned the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

First Lieutenant Daniel R. Durrentt has been awarded an M.S. degree in foundation education by Troy State University extension at Maxwell AFB, Ala.

James D. Lawrence has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Major Leon J. Testas, Jr. is a member of a unit that has earned the U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

GREAT ISSUES IN SECOND YEAR



The Troy State University Great Issues program began its second year with another distinguished faculty. Included were: Dr. Andrew D. Holt, President, The University of Tennessee; Mr. Herman H. Hamilton, Attorney; Dr. Harry M. Philpott, President, Auburn University; Dr. W. A. Helfin, Chief of Documentary Research Division, Air University Aerospace Studies Institute; Countess Alexandra Tolstoy, President The Tolstoy Foundation; Dr. Leslie S. Wright, President, Samford University; and Dr. Charles David Hounshell, President Birmingham-Southern College.

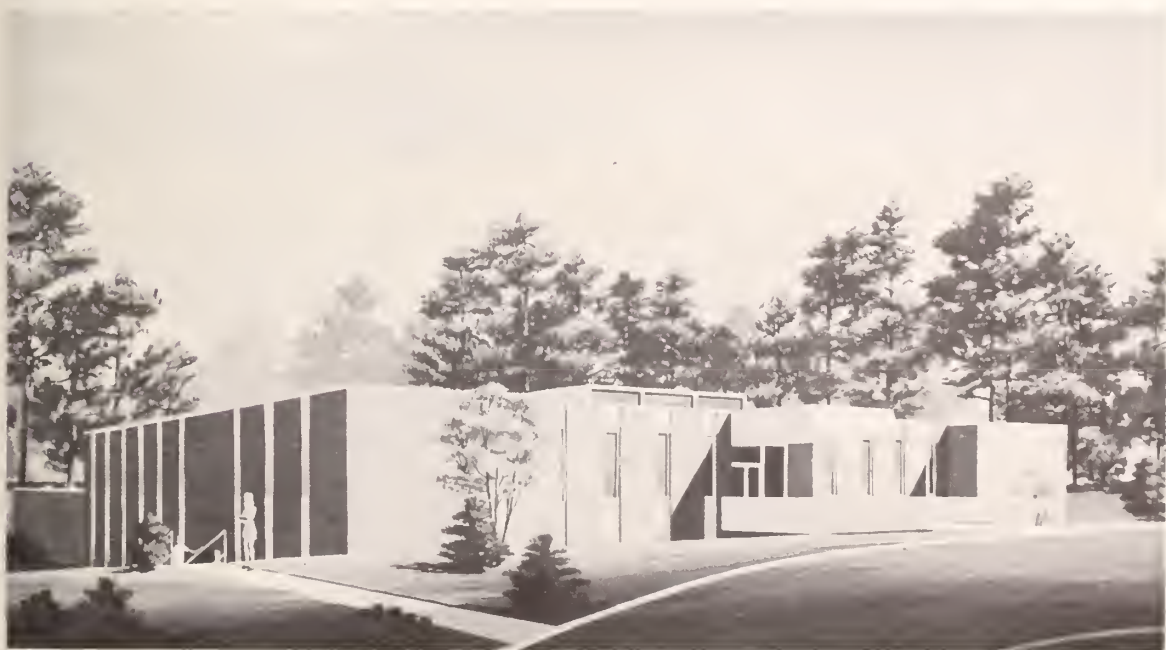


Classes were held at 9:30 each Wednesday morning in Smith with lectures and question and answer sessions from students. Visitors from Troy and other areas attend the forums as spectators.

ACTION ON CAMPUS



Dr. Sanders Anne Laubenthal (right), Troy State University English Department, presents copies of her books on poetry to Ken Croslin, Director of the University Library. Dr. Laubenthal, who recently won the Alabama State Poetry Day award, has written Songs of Mobile, The Gates of Wonder, and Interlude all of which will soon be available in the Troy State library.



Contracts for the long-awaited, long-needed field house were let to Henderson Black and Green of Troy during the month of April. Construction has already begun and it is hoped that the new facility will be ready by the first home football game of the season.

The new facility will contain offices, training rooms, and dressing rooms for Red Wave athletic teams. Money for the facility was raised from private sources with Mr. Tine Davis of Montgomery as Chairman.

FROM THE EDITORS DESK. . . .

A reminder to all to make plans for Homecoming 1970 which will be held on October 31 . . . Changes have been tentatively made in the lineup of the day . . . This year the parade will begin the day and the annual Alumni get-together will be a banquet affair at noon . . . Kickoff time will be at 2 p.m. . . . All Alumni Clubs are urged to schedule a Friday night meeting IN TROY on the 30th . . . All University people will be visiting with you at these meetings which should be social in nature . . .

Gold Stars go to Edie Smith, Wayne Glover, Wanda Shipman, Tom Hamilton, and cohorts for the labor put into organizing the Central Florida Chapter with headquarters in Orlando. I visited with them at the first meeting and the food and fellowship were something else . . .

Another A+ goes to Pledger Sullivan, Diane Dunn, and all those people in Fort Walton who made that club our best from the first meeting. President Adams, Coach Atkins, and I were overwhelmed at the enthusiasm of the Fort Walton chapter. Over 150 attended the first meeting and it was like Homecoming on campus.

Gatha Owens and his Houston Country crew are really working also. Thanks from this club go to Wallace Malone who picked up the tab for the last meeting.

Jacksonville, Florida will be going through some reorganizing this month. All of the elected officers were transferred out of town by their companies immediately after taking office . . . It's good to get promoted and I am glad they're picking TSU folks to go higher.

Included in the Alumnus this month are ticket order blanks. Be sure and get them in in order to assure yourself of the best seats. Alumni President Fred Taylor sends his regards and his promise to have another short but interesting Alumni meeting during Homecoming. Those of you here last year know Fred means what he says.

Remember, if you are interested in organizing a chapter write me and we'll get the ball rolling. All records are on the computer and we can get you information quickly . . . If you have items about TSU alumni pass them along and we will include them in the magazine . . .

Best Wishes . . .

Bill Buchannon
Director of University Relations

RED WAVE IN GOOD SHAPE

Depth appears to be the biggest problem facing Troy State University for the 1970 football season as the Red Wave goes after its fourth straight Alabama Collegiate Conference championship.

"We have plenty of quarterbacks and receivers for a change," head coach Billy Atkins said in analyzing his team, "but we're short on linemen, especially offensive linemen, so we're teaching some of our defensive people to play offense."

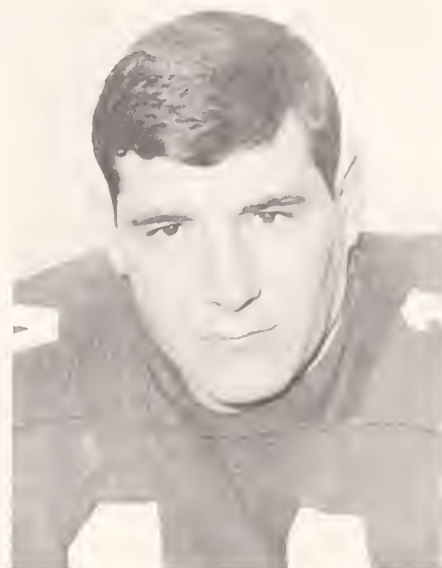
Troy State wound up No. 7 in total defense in the nation last year, and this unit stacks up in good shape again, according to Atkins. Defensive halfback Jack Smith leads the list of defensive returnees, but the biggest problem lies in replacing linebackers George Little and Rusty Ninas.

Passing was the strong point in 1968 when Troy won the NAIA national title and again last year when it finished seventh in the country, but the 1970 opposition will see an added threat in a powerful ground game.

"We could have the best running game we've had since I've been here," Atkins continued. "Bill Ragle at 6-0, 215, and Jack Smith, who will go both ways this fall, at 6-3, 215, have the ability to give us strong running."

As in the past, though, Troy State is expected to come out throwing, especially since quarterback Al Head has recovered from a knee injury that sidelined him most of last year.

Although playing in only four games, Head was still instrumental in his team's final 8-1-1 record as he completed 54 of 75 passes for 675 yards and nine touchdowns. He'll also have the team's leading pass-catcher and scorer, Vince Green, who caught 43 for 712 yards and nine TDs.



1970 SCHEDULE

Sam Houston	Sept. 12	Dothan, Alabama
Austin Peay	Sept. 19	Troy, Alabama
Livingston	Sept. 26	Montgomery, Ala.
Southeastern La.	Oct. 3	Hammond, La.
Delta State	Oct. 10	Troy, Alabama
Jacksonville	Oct. 17	Jacksonville, Ala.
Florence	Oct. 24	Florence, Alabama
McNeese State	Oct. 31	Troy, Ala. (H.C.)
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Northeast La.	Nov. 14	Monroe, La.
Appalachian	Nov. 21	Troy, Alabama

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NEWS FROM ON CAMPUS



The Troy State University Symphony Band has just returned from a tour of Alabama, Florida, and Georgia where they played to appreciative audiences. The band played in Thomasville, Georgia; Panama City and Marianna, Florida under the direction of Director, John M. Long.

The band performed some of the most difficult technical selections written for concert bands. Mr. Fred Dean of Daytona Beach, Florida was guest conductor at the Troy concert.

G. O. Spencer was elected president of the Alabama Academy of Science at the 47th annual meeting held in Auburn last week. He will serve this year as president-elect. After serving as president the following year, he will be a member of the Executive Board for the next three years. He has served as secretary of the organization for the past two years. Spencer is also a Fellow in the Academy.



Miss Freida Crumpler, member of Epsilon Kappa Chapter has been selected national song leader for Alpha Delta Pi Sorority. Miss Crumpler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crumpler of Montgomery, was chosen for this honor from representatives from 120 undergraduate chapters across the country. She will automatically become a member of the Grand Council of Alpha Delta Pi and will attend all the sorority's national conventions.

Her musical experience ranges from her leading roles in "The Music Man," "Carousel," "The Telephone," and "Hansel and Gretel," to singing on various occasions for the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs, area churches, and high schools. She is a featured soloist for Collegiates and spends much time in Opera Workshop.

Freida, a junior majoring in voice, has won other honors aside from her musical talents. She has been a White Carnation Girl for the past three years, a semi-finalist in the Miss Alabama Contest, and is now on a George C. Wallace Scholarship.



E. F. Dunbar, Troy businessman and civic leader, has made a ninth annual gift to Troy State University. His 1970 gift of \$2,500 makes a total of \$12,500 which he has contributed since 1962 to the E. F. and Mabel W. Dunbar Fund. The \$12,500 when matched with federal funds has made \$125,000 available to students through the National Defense Student Loan Program. L to R: Roy E. Jeffcoat, Executive Director of the Troy State University Foundation; Dunbar; and President Ralph W. Adams.



Donna Mixon (left), senior from Ozark, and Bob McCracken, (right), senior from Butler, New Jersey, were presented an award by Mrs. Grace Sauers, sponsor, for being the outstanding students of the Troy State University Health, Physical Education, and Recreation Department for Fall Quarter. Mixon had a 3.0 academic average while McCracken was 2.9 for the period. Mrs. Sauers is a teacher in the department.

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HOMEcoming 1970

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Dr. Charles Hounshell, president of Birmingham Southern College, was guest speaker of Troy State University's Great Issues program during Spring quarter. Shown with Dr. Hounshell (left to right) are: TSU Vice President for Finance, L. C. Stabler, President, Dr. Ralph Adams, Dr. Hounshell, Vice President, Dr. W. T. Wilkes, Music Department head, John Long, and University Relations director, Bill Buchannon.

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GRADUATION 1970



Almost 700 received degrees during Spring graduation exercises in June. This was the largest number of graduates in the history of the institution. Speaker for the exercises was Dr. Houston Cole, president of Jacksonville State University.



The University honored one of Troy's outstanding citizens when it conferred an honorary doctor's degree on Mr. Edward Frost Dunbar. He received the degree in honor of his outstanding contributions to Troy State and for his service to education and civic life in the state of Alabama. Mr. Dunbar has given more than any one person to Troy State in the past eight years.

GRADUATION 1970

Dr. Houston Cole told the graduating seniors at Troy State University that they can find no greater mission in life than "to dedicate yourself toward restoring order and peaceful coexistence in this country."

The president of Jacksonville State University pointed out that for the first time in our history we "find ourselves living under the tyranny of a small minority." This minority, he stressed, includes about five percent of our population engaged in "a rebellion without a cause."

This group's mission, he said, "is nothing less than the destruction of this country with no substitute to offer. This element is the conveyor of violence and anarchy. In the main it is untidy in appearance, filthy in speech, and heartless in soul."

"Never in our generation have so many people been so much disturbed about so many things," he continued. "It is clear that they are not activated by idealism but by a desire to destroy every pillar upon which the foundation of civilization rests."

"It is clearly evident," he said, "that this group of troublemakers cannot be appeased. Some college administrators have tried this process only to be faced with more demands."

Also, he said, "parents have tried to mollify them by acquiescing in their every wish with no results. The courts have shown leniency, and in some instances teachers have turned their heads the other way in order to avoid confrontation," Dr. Cole stated. "Let us not forget that Mr. Chamberlain tried to appease Adolph Hitler and Mr. Hitler responded by drenching the world in blood."



President Ralph Adams and University Relations director, Bill Buchannon, pause with Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Armstrong during their recent visit to campus. Mr. Armstrong is on the editorial staff of The Reader's Digest. Mrs. Armstrong is a noted writer with The Southern Baptist Board.

NEWS FROM ON-CAMPUS

OUTSTANDING STUDENTS

Mrs. Kathy Lawrence and Roy Crawford were named outstanding Troy State students in a presentation made by Dr. Joseph Roberts, Chairman of the Troy Chamber of Commerce Education Committee, at the annual Chamber awards luncheon. The two were presented engraved plaques in recognition of their achievement.

The selection of the outstanding male and female student is based on service to the community as well as scholastic standing. These two young adults exemplify the proper combination of both.

Kathy, an English major will graduate Magna Cum Laude. She has amassed an impressive array of honors which began in her high school days at Charles Henderson. As a member of Kappa Delta sorority, Kathy was named best pledge in 1967. She was also selected as one of the five best-dressed girls in 1967.

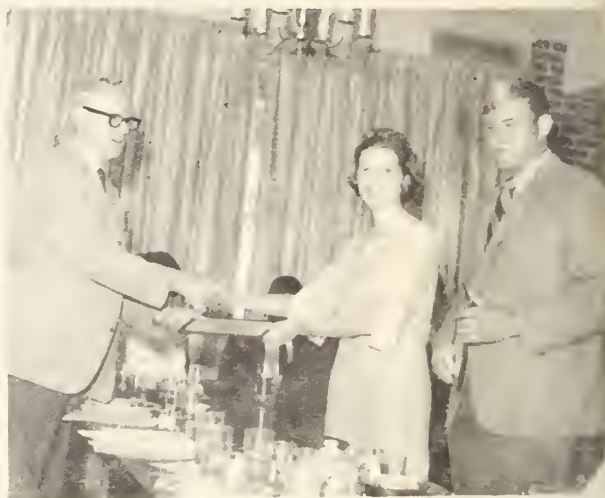
Some of her more recent honors include membership in Spires, Gamma Beta Phi, and Kappa Delta Pi honor societies; nomination as the outstanding English student for 1969-70; selection to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities; and nomination for a Woodrow Wilson Scholarship.

Roy Crawford holds something of a record in the fact that he has never made less than an 'A' in his school work. He is presently majoring in business but plans to enter law school.

Roy came to Troy State from Marion Institute where he graduated at the head of his class. A few of his many honors at Marion include: varsity football, Morgan's Raiders, an honorary military society; Who's Who in American Junior Colleges; and Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society.

For those who do not know, Roy plays defensive tackle for the Troy State Red Wave football team. He is an outstanding young man, both as an athlete and a scholar.

The achievements of these two can best be summed up in the words of Dr. Roberts, "They are truly outstanding in every respect. I only hope we can continue to come up with students as superior as these each year."



This Troy State University freshman left no doubts as to who her favorite was during the recent Alabama gubernatorial campaign. She is Peggy Sue Wallace, daughter of Governor-nominee George C. Wallace.

NEWS FROM ON-CAMPUS

KD PI'S HONOR SENIORS, DR. NELSON

Miss Barbara Howard, a senior from Brundidge was named the Outstanding Senior by the Zeta Gamma Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, Troy State's education honorary society Wednesday night, May 20, 1970.

An education major, Miss Howard is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn E. Howard.

At a banquet meeting of the Zeta Gamma Chapter, Kappa Delta Pi at Troy State University, a surprise presentation was made to the Counselor of the Chapter, Dr. Horace Nelson, who is also Director of Student Teaching at Troy State University. The presentation was the Honor Key, which is the highest honor conferred by Kappa Delta Pi. The presentation was made by the Local Chapter with the approval of the National Executive Council of Kappa Delta Pi. The conditions under which the key may be granted are:

1. The candidate shall have been an active member of Kappa Delta Pi in any chapter for a minimum of 15 years.
2. The candidate shall have given outstanding service in some phase of the work of the Society either within or without his chapter. This service should be evidenced by specific leadership either as a chapter officer or in other important activities.
3. The candidate shall have given eminent service in the field of education as a classroom or special teacher; an educational administrator or supervisor; a research worker; a writer, or a contributor to the solution of educational problems.

The presentation statement from the Local Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi read as follows:

"Due to his 15 years of service to Kappa Delta Pi, serving the Zeta Gamma Chapter as Counselor for the past eight years on local, regional and national levels, and due to his outstanding leadership in the field of teacher education at Troy State University, it is our privilege to bestow upon Dr. Horace Nelson the Honor Key Award."

Kappa Delta Pi is a National Honor Society in Education.

The actual presentation of the Key was delayed until after June 1 in order to permit Dr. Lorene Love Ort, who became National President on that date, to have her name inscribed on the Key. Dr. Ort, who is a personal friend of Dr. Nelson, made this request.



ALUMNI IN ACTION

U. S. Air Force First Lt. Gilbert O. Sanders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Sanders of Oklahoma City, has been awarded an M. S. degree in education by Troy State University.

Lt. Sanders studied under an Air Force program that assists members toward advanced degrees at civilian organizations. He received his B. A. degree in 1967 at Oklahoma State University and was commissioned there through the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

U. S. Air Force Airman First Class Frederick M. Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray G. Stevens, Evergreen, Ala., has been named Outstanding Airman at Columbus AFB, Mississippi.

Airman Stevens is a 1964 graduate of Evergreen High School. He received his A. A. degree in 1966 from Clarke Memorial College at Newton, Mississippi and his B. S. degree in 1968 at Troy State University.

Major Richard D. Valen, son of The Reverend and Mrs. E. Valen of Sargeant, Minn., has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal for meritorious service at Maxwell AFB. He graduated in 1954 from Butterfield High School in Minn., and earned his B. A. degree in psychology in 1958 from St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minn. The major also holds an M. S. Degree in education from Troy State University.

Captain Dennis C. Coombs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Coombs of Sarasota, Fla., has graduated from helicopter pilot training at Sheppard AFB, Texas.

The captain, a 1961 graduate of Sarasota High School, received a B. S. degree from Troy State University.

Gerald L. Yeager Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Yeager Sr., Fairhope, Ala., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Lt. Yeager, a 1965 graduate of Fairhope High School, attended Auburn University and received his B. A. degree in marketing in 1969 from Troy State University.

Airman Warren R. Maddox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kyman A. Grindstaff of Bushnell, Florida, is a member of a unit that has earned the U. S. Air Force outstanding Unit Award with Combat "V" device.

The airman, a 1965 graduate of South Sumter High School, received a B. S. degree from Troy State University.

Second Lieutenant Thomas L. Mills, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Mills Sr. of Goshen, Alabama, has graduated at Lackland AFB, Texas from the Air Force Security police officer course.

Lt. Mills, a 1965 graduate of Goshen High School, received his B. S. degree in economics in 1968 from Troy State University.

Sergeant Larry N. Chambers, son of Mr. & Mrs. O'Neal Chambers of Montgomery, is a member of the first unit to fly the world's largest aircraft on operational missions.

The sergeant, a 1963 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School, received a B. S. degree at Troy State University.

Captain Thomas C. Scofield, son of Mrs. Belva W. Scofield, Opp, Ala., recently completed a 33-week Army medical Department officer career course at Brooke Army Medical Center, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.

Capt. Scofield received his B. S. degree in 1963 from Troy State University.

Army Major William R. Lenderman, son of Mrs. Alma L. Bishop of Pensacola, Fla., recently was graduated from the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas. He was on the Commandant's List.

The major received his B. S. degree in 1956 from Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, and his M. S. degree in 1967 from Troy State University.

Air Force Airman First Class James C. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Smith Sr. of Montgomery, is on duty at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam, as an administrative specialist with the 377th Combat Support Group.

A 1963 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School, he received his B. S. degree in business in 1967 from Troy State University and is a member of Delta Sigma Phi

Army Major LeRoy G. Twilley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haddox L. Twilley of Selma, recently graduated from the U. S. Army Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas.

He received his B. S. degree in 1955 from Auburn University and his M. S. degree in 1969 from Troy State University.

Captain John M. Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred A. Bell, Atmore, Alabama, has received the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Vandenberg AFB, California.

The captain, a 1958 graduate of Escambia County High School, earned his B. S. degree from Troy State University

Major T. O. Williams III was awarded an M. S. degree in June from the Maxwell branch, and before departing for SEA, was awarded the USAF Commendation Medal.

Major Williams is a graduate of Troy State University.

Letter from Paul Nix advises us on the following alumni in Panama City, Florida:

Jim Keiley and wife Peggy (Robinson), two years coaching and teaching at Rutherford High School, have returned to North Alabama.

Paul Nix, former football player, coach at Rutherford High, married to Ginger Creel, former beauty queen at TSU.

Don Kelly, manager of State Farm Claim Adjuster.

Eddie Sellers and wife are teachers at Junior High School.

Elsie Hawkins, teacher at Elementary School.

Sara Loftin, teacher at Elementary School.

John E. White has been appointed assistant supervisor in the Charlotte, N. C., life division office of Aetna Life & Casualty. He is a graduate of Troy State University.

Casimir J. Michnowicz received his B. A. degree in 1967 from Troy State University and the master of education degree from Boston University in ceremonies at the Heidelberg Castle in Heidelberg, Germany, in June 1970. He will retire from military service in September 1970 and go into teaching field.

Thomas Edward Barlow, employed in the District office of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, is a 1952 graduate of Troy State University.

BEAUTIES ON-CAMPUS



Freida Crumpler of Montgomery, a senior music major at Troy State University, displays a trophy she won in the Miss Alabama contest. Miss Crumpler, who has starred in several Troy State musical productions, was voted Miss Congeniality by the other contestants.

Beverly Hornsby, Queen of the National Peanut Festival, has enrolled at Troy State University with the aid of scholarship funds won during the national competition in Dothan. The New Brockton, Alabama, beauty will study in Troy State's pre-pharmacy program.

Miss Hornsby brings a high school academic average of 2.3 to begin her college career. She was President of her high school Beta Club, Editor of the annual, cheerleader, campus beauty and vice-president of the senior class. In addition, she was Salutatorian for her class graduation.

When not studying, Miss Hornsby spends her time tumbling and water skiing. It was tumbling, taught by her New Brockton P. E. teacher, that impressed the judges in the national peanut contest.

Beverly plans to be a pharmacist after completing her course requirements.



FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK...

Plans are continuing for homecoming which will be held on Oct. 31. Plans tentatively call for a lunch time Alumni meeting after the parade...Orlando, Florida held their second meeting during June and made plan for a breakfast in Troy Homecoming day...Look for the TSU band on TV from New Orleans on Oct. 4. They will have halftime show of Saints-NewYork Giants game...Marvin Vickers is now with the University double timing between student activities and the TSU Foundation. Marvin feels that his Foundation job will be easy because Alumni will respond generously to their alma mater's needs when they see how the university is meeting the needs of the area we serve. Marvin says, "We hope to increase the percentage of giving for our university this coming year. Corporations are understandably reluctant to donate corporate funds to a university if the alumni have not given financial expression to their concern for its future. It is my desire to do all these things so Troy State may be able to afford more opportunities for the young people of our area..."

Dr. Max Rafferty, Supt. of Education for the State of California and noted newspaper columnist, will be graduation speaker for the summer quarter August 14...Among students at Troy State are the National Peanut Queen, Miss Beverly Hornsby of New Brockton, and Miss Frieda Crumpler of Montgomery who was elected Miss Congeniality during the Miss Alabama contest. Their pictures are in the book. Remember to keep us advised of change-of-addresses. There are a lot of things which Alumni should be receiving but they go in file thirteen if the proper address is not used. Also let us know what you are doing; this makes good reading for some of your old classmates who might have lost touch.

Bill Buchannon
Director of University Relations



ACTION FROM ON-CAMPUS

The Troy State University Music Department held a Piano Teacher's Workshop on June 23-25 in Smith Auditorium on the campus. The workshop featured Dr. Guy Duckworth of Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, in a three day series of demonstrations and discussions centering upon the topic of Keyboard Musicianship.

Piano teachers from a wide area, including Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, and Northern Florida participated in the workshop which was organized by Dr. William Denison of the Troy State University Music Department.



Troy State University Piano faculty making plans for the recent Piano Teacher's Workshop. Pictured are piano faculty members (from left to right): Dr. William Denison, Miss Sarah Ann Whaley, Mr. Charles Calkins, Mrs. Hugh Kilmer, and seated Mrs. Marilyn Davidson.



Robert McCracken, a Troy State senior from Butler, New Jersey, has been notified that he is one of sixteen students in the United States who will receive a Joseph P. Kennedy Foundation Scholarship, awarded annually to outstanding under-graduate Physical Education majors who plan to work with retarded children after graduation.

This is the first time in history any Troy State Physical Education major has received a scholarship of this type. Mr. McCracken was notified of the honor by Eunice Kennedy Shriver. The scholarship carries a five-hundred dollar cash award; the only obligation on the part of McCracken will be to work in Special Education after graduation.

McCracken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCracken, live at 84 Leonard Road in Butler, New Jersey.

RED WAVE IN GOOD SHAPE AFTER SPRING

The Red & White game this year, which was won by the Reds, 26-14, ended what Head Football Coach Billy Atkins called "the best spring we've had at Troy State".

"We accomplished more than we ever have," Atkins said in reviewing the just-concluded drills. "I would have to say that, fundamentally, it was the best spring for us."

"The attitude of the players was just tremendous," he continued. "They seemed more eager and more willing to work."

Although the four weeks of work were productive, including some answers to the depth problem, question marks still remain in at least five specific positions.

"Weak tackle and center are undecided on the offensive side," Atkins said, "while, defensively, the right linebacker, cornerback and safety still have not come through."

Graduating seniors leaving these important spots vacant are tackle George Hiers, center Paul Brinsfield, linebacker Rusty Ninas, cornerback David Cooper and safety Ronnie Shelley.

Perhaps part of Atkins' pleasure over the 1970 drills was the work of redshirt freshman David Rogers, who was converted from quarterback to running back at the start of this spring.

"David was the most pleasant surprise we've had," Atking added. "When we switched him, we thought he had maybe an outside chance of making a good running back."

"As long as I've been in Troy, I've never seen a young man express as much determination as David. His performance Saturday night proved

how much this desire paid off."

In the Red & White game, the Whites jumped off the first lead with a touchdown just three minutes deep in the second quarter. Bud Walter Anderson covered a fumble on the Red 10 and two plays later Sammy Hayes carried it in from the nine. Following Randy Hicks' kick, it was 7-0 Whites.

With a little over four minutes left in the half, quarterback Al Head hit his usual form and passed three times to Daryl Johnson, Bill Ragle and Vince Green with Green getting the TD on a seven-yard aerial to narrow the margin to 7-6 after a missed PAT attempt.

Withing a minute, the Reds were off on another 85-yard march, again led by Head's passing. Key plays of the drive were 35 and 15-yard passes to Green and the 18-yarder to Rogers for the touchdown. This time Hicks was true and the Reds were out front, 13-7.

The Reds stayed in command by scoring on the second play of the third period. Rogers took a pitch-out from Head and threw to Johnson, who made a miracle catch at the White 20, and sprinted on in for the score. The play covered 70 yards and Hicks made it 20-7.

An interception by Ronnie Idland at the Whites' 43 combined with a pass interference play, the third against the losers, had the Reds knocking again at the seven. Ragle plowed over from there for the final tally.

The Whites picked up their other touchdown just five minutes from the game's end on a 20-yard run by Lionel Rainey.

1970 SCHEDULE

Sam Houston	Sept. 12	Dothan, Alabama
Austin Peay	Sept. 19	Troy, Alabama
Livingston	Sept. 26	Montgomery, Ala.
Southeastern La.	Oct. 3	Hammond, La.
Delta State	Oct. 10	Troy, Alabama
Jacksonville	Oct. 17	Jacksonville, Ala.
Florence	Oct. 24	Florence, Alabama
McNeese State	Oct. 31	Troy, Ala. (H.C.)
U T M	Nov. 7	Martin, Tenn.
Northeast La.	Nov. 14	Monroe, La.
Appalachian	Nov. 21	Troy, Alabama

It won't all be through the air for Troy State University this fall as the Red Wave seeks its fourth straight Alabama Collegiate Conference championship and more national recognition.

Known for going the air route most of the time, Coach Billy Atkins' Red Wave has added what appears to be an effective ground attack to one of the smoothest passing combinations in the country.

"We could have the best running game we've had since I've been here," Atkins said in analyzing his team. "Bill Ragle at 6-0, 215, and David Rogers, 5-11, 185, are two of the finest backs I've seen."

Rogers, a redshirt freshman, was praised by Atkins as having the best spring drills of any running back ever at Troy State. A converted quarterback, Rogers also presents a threat with his passing ability.

Despite the addition of ground operations, Troy

State opponents can still look for an aerial show, especially since quarterback Al Head has recovered from a knee injury that sidelined him most of last year.

Head only appeared in four games in 1969, but still was a real key in the Red Wave's fine 8-1-1 season record and a No. 7 NAIA national ranking as he completed 54 of 75 passes for 675 yards and nine touchdowns. Split-end Vince Green, the team's leading scorer and pass-catcher with 43 receptions for 712 yards and nine TD's, also will be back.

Defensively, the opposition might find things pretty rough again as most of the people are back who made Troy State the seventh-strongest defensive team in the nation last year.

Safety Jack Smith leads the list of defensive returnees along with cornerback Darwin Fowler, linebacker Gary Spillers and end Dickie Bensinger.

GEORGIA PAIR WERE SPRING STANDOUTS

Running back David Rogers and linebacker Gary Spillers, both from Milledgeville, Ga., have been named the most valuable players in the annual Red & White clash.

Rogers, a 5-11, 185-pound redshirt freshman, was picked for the Red team while senior-to-be Spillers, a 6-0, 205-pounder was the top choice for the Whites.

The nods went to Rogers and Spillers after head coach Billy Atkins and staff had carefully reviewed films of the game which ended 1970 spring drills.

The Reds finally won the contest, 26-14, with Rogers playing a major role in the outcome. A quarterback converted to running back at the start of spring work, Rogers proved himself as a runner, a passer, and as a receiver in the spring-ending tilt.

He wound up tied with Bill Ragle as the winners' leading rusher with 40 yards, but he also caught one 23-yard touchdown pass from Al Head and

then threw a 70-yarder to flanker Daryl Johnson for another score.

"David showed the desire and determination it takes to win from the beginning," Atkins said of his new star, "and his performance Saturday was the results of his work." Atkins also said that Rogers had the best spring of any running back he's had at Troy State.

And, if any word describes the play of Spillers during the regular drills and the Red & White game, it would have to be consistency.

Spillers, who made ALL NAIA District 27 last year for his part in Troy State's fine 8-1-1 record, was a stalwart in every game-type scrimmage this spring and then wound up by leading both teams in individual tackles in the Red & White game.

"Enough really cannot be said for the way Gary plays this game," Atkins continued. "He's an intelligent, rugged defensive performer and gives us a top effort all the time."



NEWS FROM ON-CAMPUS

TOM HARRISON NEEDS TO KNOW. . .

You, as our alumni, are Troy's greatest asset. Through your various roles in the community our University receives much favorable attention.

We need your assistance. We are making a concerted effort to reach outstanding high school students who might be interested in attending Troy State. To students who have exhibited outstanding academic and leadership abilities during their high school career, the George C. Wallace Scholarship is available. Awards varying from one hundred, up to one thousand, dollars may be granted.

Feel free to contact me at any time concerning a student, or students, who you feel might qualify for this program. We shall be happy to follow up your recommendations.

Sincerely,

Thomas Harrison, Director
Prospective Student Services

MUMMERS ESTABLISHED ON CAMPUS

Mr. Jack Solomon, faculty director of the Troy State University Playmakers, has established a Mummers Order of St. George on campus. Membership in the order will be limited to those people who participate in Mummers plays and whose participation is above and beyond the call of duty.

The Order will be entirely honorary in the sense that it will be a brotherhood without officers or any other high ranking members.

"The Troy State Order of St. George is the first organized Mummers troop in the United States," Mr. Solomon said. "Our students will be continuing in the tradition of the medieval Mummers plays," he said.

St. George and the Dragon was presented over a wide area of Alabama and Georgia last fall in schools and on television. The Playmakers will also present the production next Christmas, and Solomon hopes that by establishing the Mummers the play will be seen for years to come.

Drama societies throughout the country are being notified of the Troy State Mummers Order and it is hoped that chapters will be established at other schools.

Members receiving the medallion at Troy State are: Steve Carson, Montgomery; James McKenry, Montgomery; Bob Tanton, Dothan; Coleen Carey Warner Robins, Ga.; Henlen Harvey, Andalusia; James Brown, Montgomery; Richard Fagan, Springfield, Mass.; President Carlisle, Enterprise; Cherie Lou Schuartz, Pinescola, Fla.; Mike Sadler, Jacksonville, Fla.; Jess Quilan, Bayside, N. Y.; Andy Hill, Donalsonville, Ga.; Paulette Hartley, Quincy, Fla.; Cindy Thigpen, Montgomery; Alice Schindel, Athens, Ga.; Larry Taylor, Greenville, Ala.; Katherine Miller, Tuscaloosa; Joanne Rawls, Gantt.





Mr. Roy E. Jeffcoat retired from the University staff at the end of Spring quarter. Presenting him with an award from the TSU Board of Trustees is Dr. Ralph Adams. Mrs. Jeffcoat approvingly looks on.



*The yearbook staff from Lee High School of Huntsville won second place honors for schools of more than 500 students at a yearbook workshop this summer at Troy State University. Staff members who attended were, from the left, Nancy Hammons, and Mrs. Jimmie Smith, sponsor. At the right is Rhonda Kelly, 1970-71 editor of the Troy State yearbook, *The Palladium*.*

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On the Cover: We have been unable to identify all of the people in the Class of 1902, but our records show: Mr. John F. Beard, West End; Mrs. Ethel Corly Chapman, Dothan; Mrs. John Cowling Byran, Glenwood; Mr. John L. Cosby, Perryville; C. E. Crenshaw, Montgomery; W. J. Dansby, Silas; Miss Lenna Denny, Milltown; Mr. Reuben O. Dykes, Sylacauga; E. L. Ferguson, West Green; Miss Mary Jones, Troy; Miss Ida Belle Mizell, Ozark; Mrs. Lena Petrey Mills, Petrey; Mrs. Annie Williams Young, Stone Tank, Alabama.

Fellow Alumni!

It is our desire that this edition of the *Alumnus* Magazine will prove to be informative and interesting to you, the Alumni and supporters of Troy State University.

You are encouraged to contribute your time and resources in our endeavors to attract more students and expand our educational and physical facilities by becoming active members of the Alumni Association.

I would like to thank the members of the Spires Honor Society and the journalism class of Wallace Waites for their contributions to the *Alumnus*.

Sincerely,

Thomas Harrison, '66

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THE ADAMS YEARS

*by
Judson Vaughn
Class of 1971*

As President of Troy State University, Dr. Ralph W. Adams comes close to being the ranking college president in the state. With an outstanding background in business, law, and education, President Adams has brought unprecedented growth to the campus in his six year administration.

Born in Samson, Alabama, President Adams received his bachelor degree from Birmingham-Southern College and received his L.L.B., Doctor of Jurisprudence, and L.L.D. degrees at the University of Alabama. He has done further graduate study at the University of Colorado and George Washington University. Admitted to the Alabama State Bar and United States Supreme Court Bar, he has served as a lawyer and judge in Tuscaloosa. He taught at the University of Colorado and was Acting Dean of the Air Force Law School, Maxwell Air Force Base. He came to Troy State University in 1964.

In a recent interview concerning University affairs, Adams said, "We are proud of the progress that has been made in the last few years here at Troy State. Teacher preparation has not been deemphasized, by any means, but more emphasis has been placed on a program of liberal arts. This year the University will be reorganized into four schools: a College of Arts and Sciences, a School of Business and Commerce, a School of Education, and a School of Nursing. With the exception of Tuskegee Institute, Troy State is the only four-year, degree-granting institution with a School of Nursing south of Birmingham."

In the past six years, there has been more money invested in buildings than in the history of the school. Roads valued at \$500,000.00 have been constructed on campus.

President Adams pointed out that the number of doctoral degrees held by faculty members was about 28% when he came here. Today the percentage stands at almost 40%. The per cent of Phi Beta Kappa faculty members is the largest of any school in Alabama. The enrollment at Troy is the third largest in the State.

RAFFERTY TO HEAD SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Dr. Max Rafferty, nationally syndicated newspaper columnist and former state superintendent of public instruction in California, has been named dean of the newly-created School of Education at Troy State University.

The announcement was made by the University President, effective February 1.

"Dr. Rafferty's presence on our campus will be a matter of distinction for Troy State University," Adams said. "He is one of the nation's most outstanding men and I'm sure his guidance as the Dean of the School of Education will be invaluable."

Rafferty, one of the few major educational reformers in American history, recently completed his second term as state superintendent in California where he had more schools and more school children under his supervision than any other man in the country.

He was first elected in 1962 in the greatest outpouring of votes ever cast in a nonpartisan election on this continent, and re-elected in 1966 in an unprecedented landslide vote. He also was California's Republican candidate for United States Senator in 1968.

The new Troy dean, is the author of a nationally-syndicated column featured in more than 100 newspapers from coast to coast and writes two other columns for the press.

In 1962, he wrote the all-time best-seller on education, *Suffer, Little Children*. And a speech he delivered in 1961, "The Passing of the Patriot" has been described as the most controversial speech an educator has made in the last generation.

Rafferty's first visit to Troy State was in the summer of 1970 when he delivered the commencement address, a speech that has been reprinted twice - in the Congressional Record of August 25, 1970, and in a recent issue of *Vital Speeches of the Day*.

He has authored five books, the latest of which, *Classroom Countdown*, was published just last year by Hawthorn Press.

Other writings by Rafferty have received recognition in several national publications including *Reader's Digest*, *Newsweek* and *U.S. News and World Report*. In a recent syndicated column, he encouraged contributors to invest their money in good universities. He listed Troy State as one of the seven such institutions throughout the country.

During his career, he has received many honors and awards, including six medals from the Freedom Foundation at Valley Forge.

A lifelong career teacher and administrator in California schools, Rafferty is a graduate of U.C.L.A. holds an earned doctorate in education from the University of Southern California, and honorary doctoral degrees from Lincoln University and Brigham Young.

He is native southerner, having been born in New Orleans, and his mother lived in Selma for several years.

PROGRESS IS THE KEY WORD

A recommendation from the Faculty Committee on Administration Reorganization has been accepted by Dr. Ralph W. Adams, President, and Dr. W.T. Wilks, Vice-President for Academic Affairs, to establish a College of Arts and Sciences, a School of Business and Commerce and a School of Education. The University already has a School of Nursing.

The School of Education will incorporate the present Department of Education and the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation. The School of Business and Commerce will include the same staff as currently constitutes the Department of Business. The College of Arts and Sciences will

incorporate the following departments: Art, Biological Science, Classics, English, History, Mathematics, Music, Philosophy and Religion, and Physical Science.

Details regarding the reorganization and the staffing of the new format have not been worked out completely, but the new divisions are expected to be in operation by September 1 or earlier if practicable.

Preparations for these changes included a lengthy study of (and changes in) the curriculum. A change to a five hour course block has been used where feasible. This change means a forty per cent increase in space utilization and requires a regular course load of 15 hours per quarter. A total of only 180 hours is now needed for graduation.

Dr. Wilks stated that "our curriculum is as up to date as any in the country. Troy has probably studied its curriculum as thoroughly as any school has. The study has been in progress for four years and has included some of the best consultants in the country."

Other signs of progress in the curriculum at Troy State have been announced recently. The establishment of an Air Force ROTC program is one of the major achievements.

The AFROTC detachment, which will officially begin in September 1971, will present many educational opportunities for students enrolled in the program. These range in scope from full payment of tuition to free flying lessons while in school.

The Troy State University Board of Trustees has authorized the University to award the Education Specialist (Ed.S.) degree in the fields



WHO'S WHO LISTS THIRTY-THREE SENIORS

Thirty-three Troy State seniors will be among those named in this year's listing of America's outstanding college and university students.

The "Who's Who" candidates are chosen on a basis of academic standing, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities, and future potential.

These students will be listed in the 1970 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities."

According to Mr. Donald Gibson, Acting Dean of Student Affairs, those honored will receive forms from the national directory office which must be filled out and returned immediately if the student's name is to appear in the 1970 publication.

Those students representing Troy State are: Carol Shirley Adams, Troy; Nancy Berry, Glenwood, Fla; James Rex Bryan, Elba; Richard Foy Byrd, Troy; Glenda Jean Caswell, Freeport, Fla; Sherolyn Rejean Coley, Montgomery; Patricia Collins, Newville; Barbara Jane Craft, Troy; Linda Gale Dukes, Dothan; Roger Edwin Franklin, Jr., Troy; William Kenneth Gibson, Shreveport, La; Albert Head, Troy; Patsy Hilburn, Goshen; Della LaWanna Hocutt, Elba; James Edward Hollington, Arlington, Ga; Charles Alton Jones, Georgiana; Judy Lynn Mayr, Troy; Michele Lynn Meadows, Enterprise; June Guynette Nolin, Ariton; Delores Meaux Price, Orange, Texas; Alice Ruth Powers, Gulfport, Miss.; Vicki Dianne Rushing, Opp; Annie L. Crews Sanders, Troy; Sharon Ann Schmitz, Bradenton, Fla.;



Linda Sue Smith, Andalusia; William Curtis Solomon, Headland; Sherry Jo Starling, Hartsboro; Winslow Anthony Stetson, Barrington, Ill.; Marinda Jane Stetson, Troy; Douglas Stanley Taylor, Columbus, Ga.; Gail Beasley Weeks, Troy.

KAPPA OMICRON ESTABLISHES CHAPTER

Last Spring quarter Kappa Omicron was organized at Troy State. As the men's leadership honorary fraternity on campus, the group plans to petition for membership in Omicron Delta Kappa, the national leadership society for men. The purpose of Kappa Omicron is threefold:

First, to recognize men who have attained a high standard of leadership in collegiate activities, to encourage them to continue along this line, and to inspire others to strive for similar conspicuous attainment.

Second, to bring together the most representative men in all phases of collegiate life, and thus to create an organization which will help to mold the sentiment of the institution on questions of local and inter-collegiate interests.

Third, to bring together members of the faculty and student body of the institution on a basis of mutual interest, understanding, and helpfulness.

Leadership activities are classed in five basic areas: (1) scholarship, (2) athletics, (3) student government, social, and religious affairs, (4) publication, and (5) speech, music, drama, and the other arts. A member must also be a Junior or Senior, a resident at TSU one year, and attain some position of leadership in campus affairs.

The first slate of officers and members include: President, Thomas Barber; Vice-President, Douglas Taylor; Secretary-Treasurer, Curt Solomon; Roger Franklin, Albert Head, Eddy Hollington, Steve

Lyons, Joe Martin, Harry Ninas, and David Walker. The newly included members are: Julian Brackin, Jr., Spencer Brantley, Charles Jones, Christopher McDougald, Rick Stetson, Robert Tanton, Jr., Anthony Warner III, and Douglas Brock.

Faculty Secretary for the group is Dr. Dale Martin. Local members of Omicron Delta Kappa who serve as faculty advisors are: Mr. Morris Welch, Dr. Joseph Mitchell, Dr. David Dye, and Dr. Ray Mathis.

PARKINSON SPEECH RECEIVES ATTENTION

A speech delivered at Troy State University on October 14, 1970, by the distinguished British scholar Dr. C. Northcote Parkinson, has received national attention and has been republished twice.

Vital Speeches of the Day, a bi-monthly publication which reprints important speeches for its circulation, published Dr. Parkinson's Troy speech in its issue of December 15. Senator James Allen of Alabama also had the speech printed in the Congressional Record of November 17.

Parkinson is an historian, a lecturer and the author of a number of books including *Parkinson's Law*.

His speech at Troy was under the title, "The Rise and Fossilization of Socialism", and was a study of the rise of socialism in Great Britain. His conclusion is that the consequences have been catastrophic for Britain, and he warns that the United States is more socialistic than is generally believed.

Parkinson's speech was one in a series inaugurated by Dr. Ralph W. Adams, President of Troy State, to bring lectures by eminent national and international authorities to the campus for benefit of the students, faculty members and other interested persons.



These five lovely young ladies were chosen recently to be featured in the beauty section of the 1971 edition of the *Palladium*. They are: (L - R) Susan Graddy, Dothan, Ala.; Sally Simmons Majors, Atlanta, Ga.; Deborah Anderson, Russellville, Ala.; Debbie Flowers, Goshen, Ala.; and Joanne Williams, Milton, Florida.

THE YEAR 1970 . . .

by
Dr. R.C. Kennedy

The year 1970 was a period of construction, progress and growth at Troy State University.

The University suffered no upheavals such as have occurred on many campuses throughout the nation. Faculty and students worked together in a spirit of harmony and cooperation.

In June, 675 students graduated at Troy, the largest number for any one commencement in the history of the institution. An additional 178 students graduated in August, and 200 more in December.

The major construction began on campus was a \$300,000 athletic building. The structure is still in the construction stage but should be ready for use by the fall quarter. It will provide offices for coaches and dressing quarters for

Troy's varsity and visiting teams, and other facilities.

Another construction item was the remodeling of the old McCarthy Hall, the former library building. A number of new offices were made available for faculty members through reconstruction of the building.

During the year, Troy's facilities were available to many people of the area and in a number of different ways. A reading class for adults was conducted at night by Charles W. Parker, Director of the Reading Center. A Summer Institute for high school biology teachers was available during the summer and was well attended. A South-wide week long conference on communicable disease control was held during the week of July 13-17. A band camp under the direction of John M. Long, chairman of Troy's music department, was held in July, and was attended by over 600 high school students from the Southern states.

A yearbook workshop was held in July for high school students, and was attended by more than 500 students.

The Future Teachers of America Conference was held in October, and was attended by several hundred high school students.

A workshop for elementary physical education teachers was held in August.

Throughout the year, many small groups, some of them local and others from the area, held meetings on the Troy State Campus.

During the year, a number of outstanding programs were presented on the campus. These included the Alabama Ballet Company, the Houston Symphony Orchestra, concerts by the University's band, the Sound of the South, and the Collegiate Singers, a choir directed by Dr. C.V. Farmer, and two outstanding commencement speakers. Dr. Houston Cole, President of Jacksonville State University, spoke at the June Commencement and Dr. Max Rafferty, Superintendent of Education for the state of California, spoke at the August Commencement.

During the year, a series of lectures on current issues of the day was presented to students and faculty under the sponsorship of President Ralph W. Adams. The speakers were Dr. Andrew D. Holt, President of the University of Tennessee; Herman H. Hamilton, an attorney from Montgomery; Dr. Harry M. Philpott, President of Auburn University; Dr. W.A. Heflin of the Air University; Dr. Leslie S. Wright, President of Samford University, and Dr. Charles David Hounshell, President of Birmingham Southern College.

In 1970, Troy State was the recipient of a number of gifts of money from Alumni and others. It also received a grant of \$15,000 from the Federal Government for use in developing the University's program in special education. A degree in special education is offered at Troy State. Dr. Dorothy Fleetwood is in charge of the program. The University also received a grant for support of the Science Institute for biology teachers, which was held in July.

FACULTY AND STAFF APPOINTMENTS *by Nancy Caldwell*

For the school year 1970-1971, Troy State University named three new administrative officials, twenty-two new faculty members, and two teachers who are returning to the campus.

Additions to the Business Department include Barbara J. Bargainer, C.P.A., Alabama Certification; Rhett T. Butler, M.B.A., Northeast Louisiana State College; and W. Morris Welch, M.A., Auburn University. The Science Department gained Donald J. Barras, Ph.D., Mississippi State University; Benjamin J. Bateman, Ph.D., Texas A & M University; and returning to Troy is Eugene O'Masta, M.S., Auburn University. Richard Edwin Buckley, Ph.D., University of Southern Mississippi; George Rufus Hughes, Ph.D., The Johns Hopkins University; Michael L. Maughan, Ed.D., Utah State University; and Hilton Stowell, Ph.D., Florida State University were all added to the Psychology Department. Added to the English Department were Freddie B. Davis, M.A., University of Georgia; Cordelia L. Gray, M.A., Tulane University; and returning Olivia P. Solomon, M.A., University of Alabama. The newly formed School of Nursing gained Martha Ray Harris, M.N., Yale University School of Nursing; Betty Jane Smith, Ed.D., Teachers College, Columbia University; and Sarah Betty Thomas, M.A., Teachers College, Columbia University.

Five departments gained a new faculty member each. O. David Dye, Ph.D., Florida State University is a new addition to the Speech Department. Christina Clarke, M.A., Florida State University, a new addition to the foreign language department, teaches German. The Physical Education Department gained Joe McMillan Hall, Jr., M.S., North Texas State University. The Religion Department gained Frank Joseph Mitchell, Ph.D., Duke University. Carol Lovelady, M.A., University of Alabama, is an addition to Special Education.

The History Department added Norma Mitchell, Ph.D., Duke University, and newly name Head of the History Department, Duane

C. Tway, Ph.D., University of California at Los Angeles. Don K. Patmon, M.M.E., Florida State University, and James E. Mahaffey, M.Ed., Auburn University, are new additions to the Music Department.

Appointed to administrative offices are Steve Parker as Head of Purchasing and Inventory Control, Marvin Vickers as Director of Student Activities and John M. Long as Special Advisor to the President.

WHITTLE BECOMES ACTING BUSINESS MANAGER

Albert R. Whittle, Assistant Professor of Business at the University, has been appointed Acting Business Manager effective January 1, 1971.

The announcement of Whittle's appointment was made by President Ralph W. Adams. "We're delighted to have a man of Mr. Whittle's ability in this position," Dr. Adams said. "He has a keen interest in Troy State and certainly is qualified for this responsibility."

The new Business Manager spent 17 years in the Air Force before coming to Troy State in 1969. He enlisted in 1942 early in World War II and retired August 1, 1969, with the rank of Lt. Colonel. His military career included services of two years as a teacher in the Air Force Judge Advocate General's Course at Maxwell Air Force Base, 16 years in procurement law in the Air Force Logistics Command, and two years as a captain in the Alabama National Guard.

Whittle attended public school in Augusta, Georgia. He has an A.B. from the University of Georgia where he graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors. He also has an LL.B. degree from the Atlanta Law School and an M.S. in education from the University of Georgia. In addition he has attended several military schools including the Air War College at Maxwell Air Force Base.

In civilian life, Whittle taught eight years in the public schools of Atlanta and served four years as an attorney for the Veterans Administration Regional Office in

Montgomery. He is a member of the Bar Associations in Alabama and Georgia, and has been admitted to practice law before the United States Supreme Court and the U.S. Court of Military Appeals.

Whittle is married to the former Nell Clark of Batesburg, S.C. They have three sons.

TSU THIRD LARGEST IN ALABAMA

Troy State University ranks third among all Alabama colleges and universities in enrollment, according to a recent comparative report compiled by the Division of Research and Higher Education, State Department of Education.

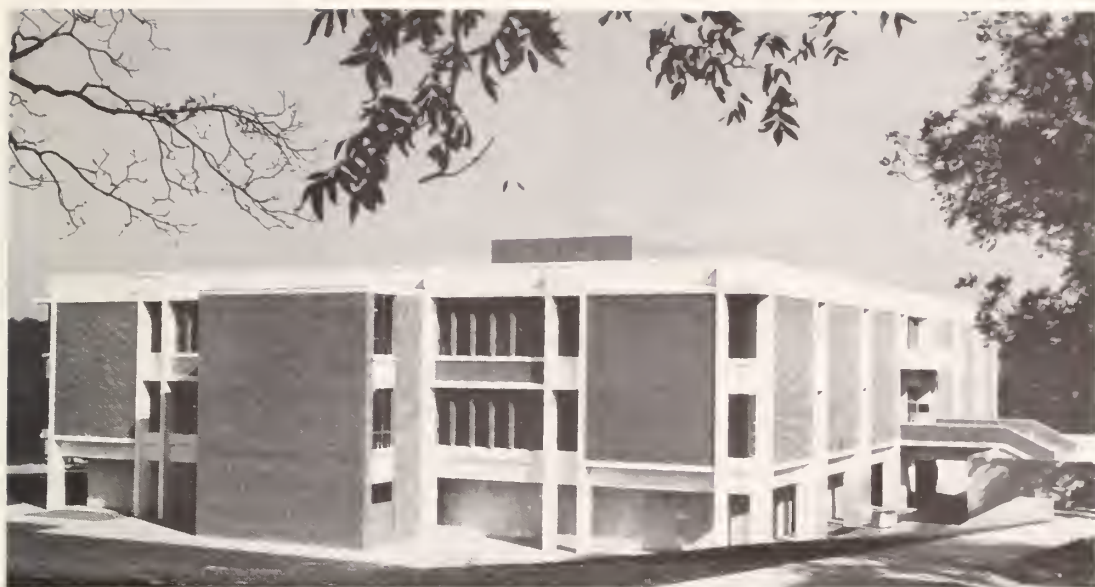
Including the main campus and the campuses at Maxwell AFB and Fort Rucker, Troy State showed a total enrollment (head count) of 5,732 for the 1970 fall term.

The University of Alabama, combining the count at Tuscaloosa, Birmingham, Huntsville, and Gadsden, had 20,821 students to rank as the largest institution and Auburn University, including Montgomery, had 15,220.

However, Troy State was the only institution reporting an increase in the fall at all campuses. The main campus rose from 3,159 to 3,458 or an increase of 299 while Maxwell added 328 and Fort Rucker 93 for a combined increase of 720.

Maxwell AFB, with the 328 additional students, also had the third largest jump in enrollment among the 31 campuses.

The report was prepared from enrollment data submitted to the Department of Education by the state's public and private colleges and universities to be used in projecting higher education enrollments in Alabama during the 1970's.



A NEW RESOURCES CENTER FOR TROY STATE

by Jean Adkinson Class of 1972

Opening in April, 1970, the Lurleen B. Wallace Educational Resources Center is the newest building on the Troy State University Campus.

A result of nine years of planning and hard work, the new building contains many different types of educational materials, services, facilities and equipment, according to Kenneth Croslin, Director of the Center. "It supports the university program through a combination of many learning materials, and important services," he continued. "The greatest emphasis," says Croslin, "is placed on the acquisition of quality book, journal, bibliographic and other print collections."

On the third floor are located the bound and unbound periodicals, the microfilm collections, two photocopiers and the circulating book collection.

The Library, at present, is in the process of changing from the Dewey Decimal to the Library of Congress classification system. The change-over, begun in 1967, is approximately fifty percent complete. All new titles now received are entered under the new classification system, according to Mrs. Lucy White, Chief Cataloger.

On the second floor is a bibliographic center containing specialized book, periodical and document indices. Also located in this section is a union catalog listing the various types of library materials. In addition, reference books, newspapers, periodicals and the main circulation desk are located on this floor.

The audio-visual services are concentrated on the first floor. A catalog lists all phonotapes, phonodiscs, films and filmstrips in the center. Facilities for reviewing the tapes, discs, films and filmstrips in the center are available for everyone.

Use of this new building and its resources is increasing at such a rate that additional space (temporarily occupied by various departments and classrooms) will be needed in the immediate future.

The old library building, McCartha Hall, has been completely renovated inside and houses the Art Department, the Department of Philosophy and Religion, the Education and Psychology Department, and the Reading Center plus a few History classroom and offices. Two additional features include a studio for the Art Department, and an auditorium for use by all departments.

HONOR GRADUATES

Thirty three Troy State University seniors who completed their work for graduation at the University at the end of summer and fall quarters qualified for graduation with honors.

Four students graduated with the highest honor classification, Summa Cum Laude. They were John Alden Barnett of Montgomery; Lloyd Irvn Cripe of Enterprise, Alabama; Diana Higgins Richards of Ft. Rucker, Alabama; and Shirley Stallworth Northrop of Andalusia. The requirement for Summa Cum Laude is a grade point average of 2.8 through 3.0 on a 3.0 scale.

Fourteen students graduated Magna Cum Laude with a grade average ranging from 2.6 to 2.79. They were Robert Lee Berry of Birmingham; Henry Joseph Bury of Bonifay, Florida; Elizabeth Ann Chandler of Fort Rucker; Hazel Brewton Hatcher of Dothan; Alice Ruth Powers of Clio; and Doris Haet Sinclair of Orinda, California; Maryland Long Bence of Abbeville; Robert Leo Gleason of Maxwell AFB, Alabama; Beverly Ann LaFond of Maxwell AFB, Alabama; Lester Fredrick McSorley of Fort Rucker, Alabama; Donna O'Steen Mixon of Perry, Florida; Clifford Preston Salyer of Maxwell AFB, Alabama; Jo Anne Hardy Tilghman of Fort Rucker, Alabama; Linda Coon Wilson of Elba, Alabama.

Fifteen students graduated Cum Laude, with a grade average of 2.4 through 2.59. They were Antanette Blackwell of Red Level; James Frederick Brown of Maxwell AFB; Thomas Parker Fitzsimmons of Prattville; Charles Thomas Gibson of Enterprise; Peter Richard Kalogris of Ozark; Vickie Waters Roberts of Morrow, Ga.; and Howard Esslyn Vinson of Headland; Sarah Brewster Dyess of Brundidge; Madge Baker Edge of New Brockton; Virginia Lassiter Hatch of Enterprise; Robert Lawrence Mitchell, Jr. of Oak Park, Illinois; Max Toby Newsome of Phoenix City; Frances Diane Ray of Brundidge; Peggy Susan Regentine of Montgomery; and Samuel Jackson Whatley of Auburn, Alabama.

HOMECOMING 1970

Troy State celebrated one of its finest Homecomings on October 31.

The day was beautiful and the activities were varied. An Alumni meeting and luncheon were held jointly at noon in Stewart Dining Hall, where the names of new Alumni officers of the year were announced.

At 1:30, in Memorial Stadium, a pre-game band show was staged and the Homecoming Queen was crowned. At 2 P.M., the Troy State Red Wave played a football game with McNeese State. Unfortunately the Red Wave lost.

President and Mrs. Ralph W. Adams were host at a reception at their home at 4:30 for Alumni, students, faculty, and friends. The day ended with Big Name Entertainment, "Stevie Wonder" in Sartain Hall.

A week-long program of festivities lead up to the Big Day. There was a dance on Monday night, the Homecoming Queen election on Tuesday, the football recognition day, bonfire, and pep rally on Thursday, and a Homecoming dance on Friday night in Stewart Dining Hall.

PRESIDENT ADAMS' SPEECH

At the Alumni luncheon and meeting, President Ralph W. Adams reviewed the past year at Troy State. He said that it had been a good year. He pointed out that enrollment on the campus and at the Maxwell and Fort Rucker Branches is the largest at each place that it has ever been, and the Troy State is now by head count the third largest university in the state. He also said that he is constantly seeking to improve the University and its faculty, and its facilities.



APPRECIATION DAY PARADE

The Troy Chamber of Commerce, for the fourteenth consecutive year, sponsored a University Appreciation Day at Homecoming, featured by a mammoth parade.

There were more than 100 units in the parade that marched through the Troy town square, which was crowded with spectators estimated to number 10,000.

Included in the parade were 25 bands, 35 floats, a number of marching units and decorated cars, and entertainers from the Montgomery Shriners organization.

Each year the Troy Chamber of Commerce honors the University in this way at the expenditure of a great deal of planning, hard work, and money.



HOMECOMING QUEEN AND COURT

Miss Sally Simmons, of Atlanta, was chosen in a student election as the 1970 Homecoming Queen. She and her court were announced at the Homecoming dance on Friday night and participated in pre-game ceremonies on Saturday afternoon in Memorial Stadium, where Miss Simmons was crowned by President Ralph W. Adams. The queen and her court are shown above. Seated, from the left, Kay Fariss, Blakely, Georgia; Miss Simmons; Jo Ann Williams, Milton, Florida. Standing, Debbie Flower, Goshen; Diane Asher, Elba.





Left to right: Jack Smith, Al Head and Vince Green.

STEWART HALL



Mrs. Frank Stewart and son, Frank, Jr., unveil a portrait of the late President Frank Ross Stewart. John Stewart, a brother of the deceased, looks on.

At the Alumni Homecoming luncheon and meeting, the new dining hall located behind Alumni Hall was dedicated, and was named Frank Ross Stewart Hall in memory of the late Frank Ross Stewart, who was President of Troy State from July 1, 1961 until his death on March 24, 1964. Mrs. Stewart and her son, Frank Stewart, Jr., were present and unveiled

an oil portrait of Dr. Stewart. John R. Stewart, a brother of the deceased President, also was present.

The new dining hall is modern and spacious and well equipped. It serves students who live in nearby Alumni and Clements Halls.



TSU'S MEN OF THE YEAR NAMED FOR 70

Two men were named Troy State Alumni of the Year at Homecoming. Mr. Corley Chapman, Sr., Troy banker, and Mr. Robert Paul, Director of Troy State University's Fort Rucker campus were so honored at the Alumni meeting.



Corley Chapman receives an award as an Alumnus of the Year from Bill Buchannon.

Chapman and wife, mother and grandmother, all graduated from Troy State. He has been with Troy Bank and Trust Company for over 40 years. He served on the Troy City Commission for 15 years and was mayor five times.

The Alumni Association saluted him for his contribution to the economic and educational development of Alabama.



Vice President W. T. Wilks presents Robert Paul an award as an Alumnus of the Year.

Paul, Director of the Troy State University campus at Fort Rucker, was honored for his distinguished contribution to the cause of higher education and in appreciation of his loyalty to his Alma Mater. The Fort Rucker campus, under his direction, has grown from an extension center to an accredited branch, with a campus of its own with over 1400 students and a complete faculty. This has been accomplished in less than five years.

NEW ALUMNI OFFICERS

A new slate of officers for the Troy State Alumni Association was recommended by a nominating committee and elected by the Association at Homecoming. Miss Ester Murphy, of Montgomery, was elected president. Pledger Sullivan, of Fort Walton Beach, Florida, is the new vice-president. Mrs. W.M. Jackson, of Brundidge, is the new secretary. Professor Virgil Collins, of Troy State University, was re-elected to serve as treasurer.

THREE TEACHERS OUTSTANDING

Dr. Joseph B. Roberts, Jr., Mr. Eugene H. Sherman, and Dr. Gertrude Schroeder, Troy State University, have been selected to appear in the 1970 edition of *Outstanding Educators of America*. Nominated earlier this year, they have been chosen for the awards publication on the basis of their civic and professional achievements.

Dr. Roberts is chairman of the Troy State University department of English, Dr. Schroeder is a teacher in the English department, and Mr. Sherman is a member of the University Business department.

The *Outstanding Educators of America* is an annual program designed to recognize and honor those men and women who have distinguished themselves by exceptional service, achievements, and leadership in education. Each year over five thousand of our country's foremost educators are featured in this national volume.

Nominations for *Outstanding Educators of America* are made by the presidents, deans, superintendents, and other heads of schools and colleges, individuals who have first-hand knowledge of their endeavors and accomplishments.

The educators included in this biographical history receive a high honor. They are chosen for national recognition on the basis of local standards of excellence.

Former Vice-President Hubert Humphrey, who wrote the introductory message of the 1970 edition, says of the men and women included, "The greatest strength of any nation is its human resources. These are the men and women who by their actions in the classroom today mold the course of history. Our hope, the nation's youth, is in their hands. As we honor these teachers, we are reminded of their awesome duty. As they have our confidence, we must give them the tools to wage Jefferson's crusade against ignorance. With men and women like these we know that our faith in education has not been misplaced."

Guidelines for selection include an educator's talents in the classroom, contributions to research, administrative abilities, and any civic and professional recognition previously received.

TROPOLITAN HEADLINES

1949–1950

“Enrollment Nears 1000 Marker As Regular Registration Ends”
“Homecoming Ceremonies Saturday Feature McCartha Hall Dedication”
“Forty-nine *Palladium* Will Not Be Published”
“Troy State Teachers College Launches Large Scale Program for Campus Wide Development”

1954–1955

“Mr. Folsom Favors TSTC Name Change”
“Oldest Building on Campus is Kilby Hall”

1959–1960

“Dorms Filled to Capacity: 500 Commute” (record enrollment of 1434)
“Troy State Gets New Grading System”
“New Science Building Plans Well Underway According to Wilks”
“‘Chief’ Sartain Resigns”
“*Trop* Rated First Class”

1964–1965

“Colonel Ralph W. Adams Named TSC Prexy”
“Enrollment Sets Records” (2400 students registered)
“Student Leaders Resolve Changes in Registration”
“Students Vote Yes on the Establishment of Fraternities”
“Nearly Half T.S.C. Students in Arts and Sciences”
“Long Named T.S.C. Band Director”

“THEM GOOD OLE DAYS AT TSU”

*By Sandra Tindoll
Class of 1972*

During my three years as a student at Troy State University, inevitable changes occurred. These changes, both good and bad, are fun to remember.

Isn't it fun to remember how college life used to be?

Remember when girls had to be in at 10:30 on weekdays, 12:30 on Friday nights? Remember singing out for the Red Wave at

7:30 every night? Remember when Homecoming was a “closed” weekend for everyone and when girls had to get special permission to go home? Remember when you had to have special permission to wear culottes to the Pike County Fair and you were required to leave by the back door if you were wearing pants? Remember when girls were given seven minutes “grace” for being late and “campused” could mean anything from forgetting to sign out at 7:30 or talking out the window to a boy? Remember signing out to the library so that you could really go to your boyfriend's apartment?

Remember when girls were not allowed to go to Youngbloods and Pike County Lake because they are out of the city limits? Remember when Sex Convocation was required for girls? Remember your first “Birth of a Baby” film in Bio-Social?

Remember when boys could walk girls to the back of Clements? Remember 12:30 fire drills when it was 23 degrees outside and half of Alumni Hall turned out to watch the girls file out in their gowns and rollers? Remember checking your mailbox 10 times a day? Remember when everyone could enjoy a panytraid and no one got suspended? Remember when No-Doz and aspirin were the strongest drugs and Sand Mountain was known for its sand instead of “grass”?

Remember when Clements was a boy's dorm, Cowart a girl's dorm, and only freshmen could live in Shackelford? Remember when you were afraid to go to the Library alone because the stacks were dark? Remember when Stewart Hall was called Alumni? Remember when there was no intersection at Clements and no street through the golf green?

Remember Bio-Social, Mickey Mouse Math, and 3-hour courses? Remember when you were allowed only 3 cuts per class and when you had Saturday classes? Remember “30 Days to More Powerful Vocabulary” and when Stage Craft was considered to be a “crip course”? Remember when you didn't have to study and still passed?

Remember when only boys ate in Alumni?
Remember when you had meal tickets and the
“mystery meat” was always called porkette?

Remember when you had to sneak the
ironing board to your room and hide the
popcorn popper under you bed every time the
AD came down the hall?

Remember when only girls wore beads and
long hair and frameless glasses? Remember
when everyone wore their own hair? Remember
when everyone wore shoes to class? Remember
when, if you wore dresses midcalf, you were
labeled as the “campus prud”?

Remember London Fogs, Weejuns, and
surfers crosses? Remember the Bra-look?

Remember songs like “Gimme, Gimme
Some Lovin’”, “Those Were the Days”, “Purple
Haze”, and “Jet Plane”, books like “Fanny
Hill” and “Portnoy’s Complaint”, and movies
like “Valley of the Dolls” and Rosemary’s
Baby”? Remember Joplin and Hendrix?

Remember when you had to wait in line to
pay at registration? Remember when Big Name
Entertainment tickets were only \$2.50 and
Palladiums came on time?

Remember when the Troy Motel was the
Firebird Inn and Davis’ was still Howards?
Remember when they didn’t check I.D.’s at
Rex’s? Remember when you still thought the
legal parking lot was illegal?

Remember when Huntley and Brinkley were
a team and “Revolution” was only a song?

Remember Danny Grant and Sim Byrd?
Remember when TSU’s football team was
Number 1?

We’ve come a long way, baby!

MARRIED STUDENT SERVICES

*By Bob Howell, Jr.
Class of 1971*

Facilities for married students have followed
the trend toward modernization which is
sweeping the Troy State campus. Housing,

nursery and playschool, and “spouse I.D.’s” are
among the areas showing the greatest degree of
improvement.

Under the guidance of University Housing, a
modern apartment complex is now available to
married students. The 48-unit structure is
located at the end of North Franklin Drive
approximately four blocks northeast of the
main campus. Twenty-four one-bedroom and
24 two-bedroom units are available. Each
apartment has a large living-dining room area,
kitchen with electric stove and refrigerator, and
ample closet space. Wall-to-wall carpet and
central air conditioning and heating are
furnished.

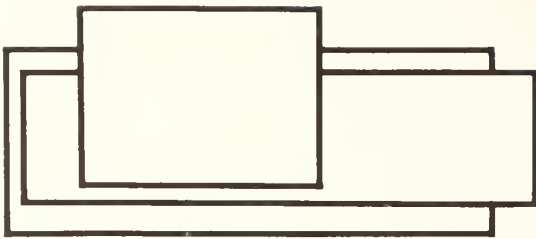
These apartments are available to married
couples when either husband or wife, or both,
is enrolled as a full-time student at Troy State.

These modern and contemporarily designed
housing units are symbolic of the continuing
growth of the entire Troy State campus.
Married students can now enjoy all the
convenience of apartment complexes usually
found in much larger cities and campuses.

Another service provided to married
students on the main campus is the Troy State
University Playschool. During class hours the
busy college family may enroll their pre-school
age children in the Playschool which is
conveniently located on the main campus on
University Drive. The school is operated by the
Dames Club, whose members are wives of Troy
State Students. Supervised recreational
activities are provided to all pre-school age
children.

Included in future plans for the Playschool
are expansion of the present building and the
purchasing of more toys and recreational
materials. Finances for this will come from the
\$10.00 per child, per week fee charged by the
school.

“Spouse” Student Identification Cards are
now available to the non-student wives of
husbands at Troy State. This card entitles the
spouse to attend all school activities which
require a student identification card.



TSU AT FORT RUCKER EXPANDS PROGRAMS & STAFF

Troy State University at Fort Rucker began in 1961 as Troy State College Center. There was one full-time instructor, functioning in the capacity of Director, and fifteen part-time instructors. Approximately one hundred fifty students were enrolled in the twenty-one courses being offered. It was designated a three year Residence Center that grew at a normal rate serving the purpose for which it was intended.

In 1964 the Center was redesignated a four year degree granting Branch.

A Graduate Division was added in 1966 with a Masters of Science Degree being offered in Foundations of Education.

The Branch began to attract students from the entire area and from North Florida in astonishing numbers. Registration for the year of 1968 accelerated to six hundred sixty-five undergraduate students, and one hundred twenty-nine graduate students.

Additional courses on the undergraduate level were offered in English, History, Mathematics, Science, and Business. The Graduate School offered additional courses in Foundations of Education, History and English.

The current school year 1970-1971 has proved to be the banner year for Troy State at Fort Rucker. On June 12, 1970, it was designated by the aforementioned title by Resolution Number 4, Reading of the Minutes, Board of Directors. The enrollment revealed a registration of one thousand, one hundred fourteen undergraduates and two hundred sixteen graduate students. Course offerings

grew to fifty-eight. A faculty of twelve permanent instructors for the graduate division was required. Twenty-four part-time instructors were recruited.

The course offerings at Troy State University at Fort Rucker accurately reflect the University campus offerings. The Graduate School now offers an additional degree in Guidance and Counseling as well as strong minors in English and History on the graduate level.

Troy State University at Fort Rucker is proud that it can offer Fort Rucker a successful, degree completion program both in selected undergraduate and graduate fields. This organization also accepts the serious responsibility of civilian student attendance from adjacent areas.

NOTES

- * Keep us informed concerning engagements, births, promotions, change of address, etc.
 - * Support the T.S.U. Foundation.
 - * Recommend a student for the George Wallace Scholarship.
 - * Visit the campus soon.
 - * Would you like to form a local Alumni chapter?
 - * Send articles to include in the *Alumnus*.
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CONVERSATION with WINNERS.....

BILLY ATKINS

by

Mary Lucy Welch

Class of 1972

"The only way to win is to outwork our opponents" is Coach William E. "Billy" Atkins' motto, and, in an interview, he attributed his success at Troy State in part to this.

Coach Atkins, who has been at TSU five years, added that "extremely hard work, practice, working out with weights, and dedication" are also factors. He added that getting out and looking at many football players and then making some right choices is important in having a winning team.

He stressed the point that success does not come from the coach. The coach, according to Atkins, motivates the players, he creates a winning atmosphere, he exposes his players to the best, and he goes "first class." Then, he said, "The improvements come from within the athlete."

In his five years at Troy, his teams have compiled a record of 38-13-2, including a 5-5 mark his first season in 1966.

When he was offered his job at Troy, he had several telephone calls from people telling him it would be disastrous for him, as a beginning coach, to accept the TSU position. They told him it would be a bad gamble, and some of his friends threatened to "disown" him if he accepted the offer.

Right after he accepted the position, the Buffalo Bills called him and offered him a job as a defensive backfield coach. Atkins said, "It was a very tempting offer, but I felt I was already obligated. I've never regretted my decision to stay at Troy."

One of the Atkins' goals is to make more money to spend on athletics. Since he has come

to TSU, the gross gate receipts of the games has risen from \$4,907 in 1965 to \$80,000 in the last two years. Last year an 11th game was added, from which Troy received \$15,000. All this money goes into a general athletic fund.

He said there is to be a spring football game this year in order to raise more money. The game will be held in Dothan because Troy's football field will be reworked this spring.

Coach Atkins said too many Alumni adopt Auburn or Alabama as their school and forget Troy. He thinks TSU should be Number 1 to them, and he wishes they would donate their money to Troy's athletic fund.

JOHN M. LONG

By Nancy Archer

Class of 1973

No word can better describe John M. Long, Director of Bands and Professor of Music at Troy State University, than the word "winner". Mr. Long's many honors, awards, and accomplishments have proved him to be the true example of a winner.

Mr. Long speaks very highly of the Troy State student body. He feels that the band is greatly supported by the students. He also feels that the students are "the best students in the world and the most appreciative". When one considers the schools with which Long has been associated, this is a fine compliment indeed. He received his bachelor's degree from Jacksonville State University, at which he was the first instrumental music graduate, and his master's degree from the University of Alabama. Long organized the Robert E. Lee Band in Montgomery and directed it for ten years. He was also the director of the Jacksonville State Band in 1950.

The accomplishments of the Troy State Band have been many since Mr. Long became

director. The band has appeared twice at halftime of the Blue-Gray Football Classic in Montgomery, and twice at the Senior Bowl in Mobile. Also the band appeared in the Inaugural Parade of President Richard Nixon and numerous times on national television as well as in concerts and halftime appearances throughout the South.

Two honors, of which Long is extremely proud, are for his outstanding leadership. One is the Distinguished Service Award, Montgomery's highest honor, presented to him in August of 1964. The other honor is the selection of Long by the "School Musician" Magazine in September, 1969, as one of the two outstanding band directors in the United States and Canada.

It is quite evident that John M. Long is a successful person in many ways. When asked to what he attributes his success, he replied, "Experience!" He added that music was all he had known since he was six years old.

Mr. Long has his own formula for being a winner but is willing to share it with everyone. Long just "doesn't give up." He says that "for everything that has worked for me — a hundred things haven't." He feels a winner needs a positive attitude and he particularly likes "builders and constructive people." In Long's words, "The only place you start at the top is digging a ditch."

ALUMNI NOTES

Class of 1957

Roy W. Watford has been named OUTSTANDING YOUNG EDUCATOR for Dothan and Houston County. Watford is employed by Dothan City Schools, department of student personnel services. He is presently serving as president of the Dothan Choral Society and is director of music for Lafayette United Methodist Church.

Class of 1960

Bill and *Joyce Bell Baxley* live in Montgomery. Bill left his position as principal

of Baldwin Junior High School to enter the Doctoral Program at Auburn. While Bill is in school, Joyce continues her work as a counselor at Robert E. Lee High School.

Joe Cates, former S.G.A. president, and his family live in Ft. Deposit. Joe commutes to Montgomery to serve in the Mathematics department at the Montgomery Academy.

A new employee of the McArthur Trade School in Opp is *Gerald Brown*. Gerald comes to this position from a similar background in Georgia.

Frank Sadler, former Charles Henderson High School coach, is employed as head coach at Central High School of Phoenix City.

Class of 1961

Grover and *Nan Spurlin*, '62, *Jacobs* are living in Montgomery. Their allegiances are divided as Grover serves as Assistant Principal of Lee High School while Nan teaches across town at Lanier.

The acting Dean of Student Affairs at Troy State is *Donald Gibson*. He and his wife, Carolyn, reside in Rolling Aeres.

Another Alumni to return to the University is *John Lee*. John is a teacher in the Math department. He and his family live on Second Avenue in Troy.

Bobbie Murchison, outstanding athlete of the early sixties, is employed as the principal of the middle school in Wetumpka.

Class of 1962

The physical education teacher at Lowndes County High School, Ft. Deposit, is *Nan Bargainer Moorer*. Nan has now received her Master's Degree from Troy State University. She and her family live in Ft. Deposit.

Bill Campbell, former Student Teacher Supervisor here at the University, has completed work in the Doctoral Program at Auburn.

WE SALUTE

Mrs. Faye Shaw
Crestview, Florida

Teacher of the Year
State of Florida

The new Headmaster and Football Coach at the South Montgomery County Academy is **Max Howell**. Max left the coaching ranks here to assume the position. He and his family moved recently to Montgomery.

Judy Pritchett is the music teacher at Lanier High School in Montgomery.

Walter Ray Rogers is a Math instructor at Macon Junior College, Macon, Georgia. He and his wife, Kim, have welcomed a new daughter to their family.

Residing in the Chattahoochee Valley are **Charles** and **Jeanette Sikes**. Charles is the head basketball coach at Valley High School, Fairfax. Jeanette teaches English at the same school.

Class of 1963

Joe and **Peggy Boutwell Autrey** now live and teach in Enterprise. Joe serves as chairman of the Business department at Enterprise Junior College.

Don Cargill has left his position as personnel director of the LaGrange Trade School to assume a position with the Georgia State Department of Education.

Class of 1964

Several members of the class of '64 have returned to assume positions with Troy State University. They are: **Nick Cervera**, Business department; **Walter Sullivan**, Director of Admissions; **Luck Watford**, Mathematics department; and **Danice Heartsill Costes**, Science department.

The **Preston Griffins** left Troy State to assume positions in Pensacola, Florida. Preston is associated with the University of West Florida.

Ben and Sandra Rogers live in Montgomery. Ben works with Real Estate Finance Company and Sandra teaches school in Prattville.

James Jones is employed by the Alabama Aviation Institute in Ozark, Alabama.

Joe Tate, former band director in south Georgia schools, is now living and directing a high school band in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Albert Kennington remains at Atmore High School as an English teacher. He recently married Nancy Butler of Greenville.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mrs. Glenda King Stokes
Teacher of the Year
Escambia County, Florida

Ralph and **Patricia Powell McCullers** live in Uriah, Alabama. Ralph is employed by Vanity Fair in Atmore and Patricia teaches at J.U. Blacksher High School in Uriah.

Class of 1965

Clayton and Barbara Barton Bryant live and teach in Andalusia. Clayton is head basketball coach at Andalusia High School. Barbara is serving as president of her local teachers group.

Donnie and **Frances Farrell Cope** are associated with Auburn University of Montgomery. At the University, Donnie teaches History courses and Frances teaches in the English department.

Chip Cramer is employed by the Children's Hospital of Dayton, Ohio.

John and **Jean Foster Porter** live in Huntsville, Alabama

Calvin and *Mary Bontwell Grant* reside in Troy. Calvin is affiliated with Kirk, Gibson, and Grant, Public Accountants. Mary serves as a federal projects supervisor for the Pike County schools. They have one daughter.

Burton and *Judy Pierce Green* live in Troy. Burton is in private business.

Henry Griffith lives in Troy as he is a parent at the Alabama Baptist Children's Home. Henry teaches in Ozark.

Al Hammond is the head football coach at Talladega High School. Serving as head football coach at Autauga County High School, Prattville, is *Morris Holley*.

Larry and *Henrietta Lewis* have moved from Montgomery to Selma where Larry will be director of the new rehabilitation center.

Maurice and *Mirian Howard McCord* are now employed by North Florida Junior College. Both Maurice and Mirian are former staff members of the University.

Del and *Sarah Fant Olds* have returned to Alabama. Del is employed in Birmingham. Del and Sarah are enjoying a new daughter, Tina, and a new home.

James and *Virginia Riggs Ransom* live and teach in Eufaula.

Paul Tate, former *Tropolitan* editor, teaches at the Lyman Ward Military Academy, Camp Hill, Alabama.

Mattie Thompson is employed with the Pike County Pension and Security Office.

Patsy Wilkinson Carranante lives in Tampa, Florida. She and her husband, Dr. Sam Carranante, have welcomed a daughter to their family.

Class of 1966

Wendell Adams lives in Troy, but teaches in Clio, Alabama.

Clifford Hagen has written a novel, *Sunshine*, which was published on January 13, 1971, by Harper and Row Publishers of New York. Hagen, a native of Bradenton, Florida, makes his home in Tampa.

James and *Mary Ellen Branner McSween* live in West Point, Georgia. James is employed by West Point Pepperell Manufacturing Company. Mary Ellen is at home with their daughter.

Paul and *Mary Jane Lindsey Herring* live in Montgomery. Paul works with Colonial Mortgage Company, a division of the Farm Bureau Federation. He and Mary Jane, a teacher at the St. James School, live on Queensbury Drive.

Mike and *Jean Bracewell Jones* live in Andalusia. Mike is affiliated with the Andalusia Distributing Company. Jean teaches in Andalusia.

Hal Larkin lives and teaches in Fort Meade, Florida.

John Lee is the newly-appointed Chief of the Troy State University Campus Security. He and his family live on Second Avenue.

Jack and *Sandra Harville*, '67, *Rogers* live in Fitzgerald, Georgia. Jack is the head basketball coach and Sandra teaches English at Fitzgerald High School. They have one son, Jeffrey.

Boswell Smith and his wife live in Pensacola. He is the district superintendent for Fidelity Union Insurance Company.

The choral director at Opp High School is *Joe Tisdale*. Joe is an announcer with the local radio station in Opp.

Allen Williams is the band director at Dougherty High School, Albany, Georgia.

Cecilia Willis is enrolled in the School of Social Work at the University of Tennessee.

Class of 1967



William R. Lenderman was recently promoted to Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Presenting the insignia are his wife, Marie, and Army Colonel Benjamin D. Capshaw, Chief of Staff, Fort Leavenworth.

Colonel Lenderman is an instructor in the Department of Joint, Combined and Special Operations at the General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth.

Harry Clem is the guidance counselor at Samson High School.

Bill and Mary Deese Hickman live in Columbus, Georgia. Bill is employed by the Pickett Hatcher Loan Association.

John Paul and Margaret McKimmon Musselman remain in Birmingham. John Paul will complete work for a degree in medicine this summer. Margaret teaches in Gardendale High School.

In Memoriam:

Mrs. Mary Boyd Preer
Faculty and Staff Member
1964-1970

Jim and Pat Newton have returned to Graduate School at the University of Alabama. They were on our campus last year as Jim served as Director of Dill Hall.

Paul and Ginger Creel Nix live in Panama City, Florida. Paul coaches at Rutherford High School.

Don Schmitz has entered the Doctoral Program at Auburn University, Auburn.

Dwight Faulk is the head football coach at Goshen High School.

Class of 1968

Ken Deavers is a coach at Opp High School. He and his wife have a new addition to their family.

Jimmy Jacobs is a counselor at Carroll High School, Ozark, Alabama.

"Hoot" Gibson, former S.G.A. President, is employed with West Point Pepperell Manufacturing Company as Personnel Director of the Riverview Mill. "Hoot" and his wife live in West Point, Georgia.

Terry Rogers is the Director of Physical Operations for the Pike County Board of Education. He and *Will Stanley* live in Troy.

Bill Hickman is the band director at Elba High School.

Mary G. Brown teaches physical education at Goshen High School.

Bobby Rogers is the head basketball coach at Lowndes County High School, Fort Deposit, Alabama.

Jack Moseley is the headmaster and head football coach at John T. Morgan Academy in Selma.

Class of 1969

Captain Fred Steele has graduated from the Air University's Squadron Officer School at Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama.

Phil Raley, former S.G.A. President, is a counselor at Opelika High School. He continues

work in the Graduate School at Auburn University, Auburn.

Thare! Shirah teaches at Tallassee High School.

Chuck Smith, former *Palladium* editor, is employed by General Auto Parts, Montgomery.

Class of 1970

Foreman and *Sally Taylor Rogers*, '69, live in McMinnville, Tennessee. Foreman is with the Manager Training Program of Penneys.

John D. Stewart has been named to the position of Project Engineer at Dixie Mill, LaGrange, Georgia. He is married to the former Johnnie Sue Farris.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

Mr. O.W. Bickel, Director of Buildings and Grounds, left Troy for a similar position at Murray State University in Kentucky. Mr. and Mrs. Bickel remain in contact with friends in Troy.

Dr. and Mrs. G.R. Boyd, dean and faculty member, are presently associated with the University of Hue, South Vietnam. They will soon return home to Kentucky.

Dr. and Mrs. William Clipson, head football coach and faculty member, are now living in Tuscaloosa. Both Dr. Clipson and Madolyn are employed at the University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa campus.

Dr. Raymond Deming, Geography professor, is now the President of Chipola Junior College in Marianna, Florida. He and his family were seen frequently in the football stands this fall.

Miss Laureson Forrester, Bio-Social Professor, has retired to Dothan, Alabama.

Many remember her untiring efforts in the classroom and as a member of the Student Affairs Committee.

Miss Annette Gibbs, Dean of Student Affairs, recently completed her requirements for the Ph.D. from Florida State University. Dr. Gibbs is now associated with Thomas Jefferson's the University of Virginia. Since her mother continues to live in Troy, Dr. Gibbs returns often to the city.

Preston Griffin, Physical Education Instructor, is now employed in a similar position at the University of West Florida. The Griffins now live in Pensacola.

Mrs. Ann Harmon, Dean of Women, works with Alabama State Department of Education as a Title I Guidance Consultant. She returned to her home in Wetumpka, Alabama.

Mr. Roy Jeffcoat, Executive Director of the T.S.U. Foundation, has retired to George C. Wallace Drive, Troy, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Jeffcoat's plans include travel and relaxation.

Mrs. Mary Lockridge, English faculty member, has retired to Palos Verdes, California. She lives with her daughter and son-in-law.

Miss Bess McCann, Registrar, has retired to Troy, Alabama. Miss McCann is a frequent visitor to the campus.

Mrs. Olivia Rainer, Music faculty member, continues to live in Troy, Alabama.

Dr. Janette Rosenberg, English Professor, has retired and continues to live in Troy, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. G.O. Spencer, Science Professor and staff member, have retired to their farm in Harvest, Alabama.

Dr. H.E. Sterkx, History Professor, is the new Chairman of the History Department at Auburn University of Montgomery. Dr. Sterkx lives in Old Cloverdale.

Mr. Durwood Taylor, Business Professor, left Troy and retired to Stockton, Alabama.

Dr. and Mrs. Earl Watson, Athletic Director and faculty member, have joined the faculty of the University of West Florida. The Watsons live in Pensacola.

VOLLRATH COMPOSITIONS PREMIERED

Dr. Carl Paul Vollrath, Assistant Professor of Music, has written three musical compositions which premiered here within the past few weeks.

One of them is a choral work entitled "O Solitude". The words are by the poet John Keats. A Tampa High School musical group presented the composition at a choral symposium held on the campus of South Florida University on January 29.

The University of Georgia Baroque Ensemble presented the first performance of a quintet written by Vollrath for harpsichord, flute, oboe, violin, and cello on February 4.

Vollrath's third work is a brass composition for baritone horn and piano. It was premiered at the Brass Symposium held at Georgia State University in Atlanta, February 19-21.

Vollrath is the author of a number of musical compositions, including a full length opera based upon the Children's Crusade. He has been at Troy State since 1965. He has a doctorate from Florida State University.

WELCH ADDED TO MUSIC STAFF

John M. Long, Chairman of the Music Department and Director of Bands, has announced the addition of Truman Welch of Wetumpka to the Music Department staff, effective January 1.

Welch's work at Troy will be on a part-time basis. He will teach wood winds to Troy State music students. His specialty will be the flute.

The new music faculty member is director of the Elmore County High School Band at Wetumpka and will continue at that capacity in addition to his work at Troy.

Welch has served as Vice-President and President of the Alabama Band Masters Association and as President of the Alabama Music Educators Association. He also served one term on the governing board of the National Band Association.

Welch has taught wood winds at Auburn University and Huntingdon College. He has played professionally for years in symphonies and dance bands. He is one of two flute clinicians for the King Music Instrument Company. He is in demand as a clinician and guest conductor for band camps throughout the south.

At Wetumpka, Welch has developed an outstanding band, which was one of eight in the southeastern states invited to perform at the All-State Band Clinic in January of 1969.

Troy State band director John M. Long said, "We are excited to have this distinguished musician at Troy State."

TSU FOUNDATION NEEDS ASSISTANCE

The democracy and free enterprise of the United States are grimly challenged by foreign dictatorships. Both our national survival and the hopes of the world for peace, progress and freedom depend on our success in strengthening our system.

Many elements account for the status of American life. None is more important than higher education. It is the dynamic force working for the improvement of society as well as preservation.

Today more than ever before there is an imperative need for a "Quantity of Quality" in our institutions of higher learning. Without a vastly increased volume of voluntary support for all our colleges and universities, that need cannot be met. We believe that our democratic free-enterprise system is capable of providing this support. With vision and courage, the challenge of the present and future can be made the nation's greatest asset.

At a time when public colleges and universities are being called on to accept an increasing proportion of students, and when the nation is increasingly dependent on them at the very highest level of advanced education and research, there appears to be a widespread belief that public higher education does not require increased amounts of voluntary support. Such support, in fact, is urgently needed by those institutions which wish to go beyond the average in quality, leadership, and distinction and to accept increasing responsibilities in meeting new needs, demands and opportunities.



Col. Inez Jones is shown with Sister Lucille Marie, Dean of the School of Nursing and Dr. Ralph Adams after presenting a scholarship to Marvin Vickers of the TSU Foundation.

Even the most generous legislative support does not cover the full cost of quality programs of instruction, research, and public service in a complex, modern, public college or university. The situation is acute in states which have relatively large numbers of talented young people but have low-capita incomes. The gap between tax-support and needs has been and is being filled in part by gifts, and in part by charges to students, but tuition charges only

pay about one-third of the total cost. Charges to students have already been raised to a point at which the proportion of educational costs they are asked to pay limits educational opportunity for many and creates serious hardship for others.

A vastly increased volume of voluntary support is necessary to maintain and improve the the quality of our university. We believe that our alumni and friends are willing and capable to meeting this challenge and filling this gap.

Troy State University Foundation was organized October 1968 to meet the educational challenge and to fill a gap for financial aid to needy students.

Through our Annual Alumni Giving Program you are asked to make available funds for scholarships, workstudy, workshop and other aids to needy students. It is our sincere hope that you will continue your very fine support.



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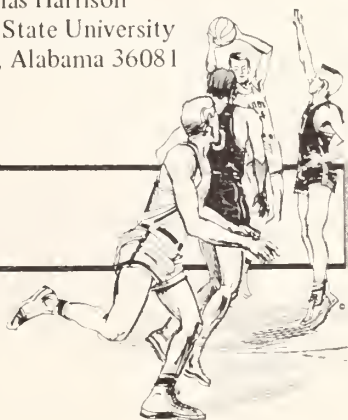
After a disastrous start, Troy State's basketball team suddenly became one of hottest properties in the Alabama Collegiate Conference with a winning streak of five games and moved up to sole possession of fourth place.

Coach John Archer's young charges won their season-opener over Georgia Southwestern, but then started on a tail-spin that finally reached 11 losses in a row.

But the New Year found the situation quite different as Taylor University became the first victim in the hot streak. Then followed Athens College, Montevallo University, St. Bernard and Jacksonville State.

Livingston scissored the string on Jan. 23 with a hard-fought seven-point decision, but it was still apparent that Troy State had found the range as the Red Wave led much of the way in the first half and had a mid-way the second half.

With a starting lineup of freshmen and juniors, Archer prodded his Red Wave along until it was considered one of the real favorites in the Alabama Collegiate Conference tournament in Montgomery, Feb. 18-20.



Learnest Martin, a 6-3, junior college transfer from Mobile State, was one of the big guns in the comeback along with freshman Cleve Hollis, probably the top freshman basketball player Troy State has had in many seasons.

Martin was pumping in points at a rate of close to 20 per game all season and pulling down an average of 14 to 15 rebounds each time while Hollis was over the 20-point mark in all but one game after the rally started against Taylor University.

This twosome was joined by forward Danny Allen and guards Tim Russell and Sherrill Hicks with capable help. When Archer had to go to the bench, he got fine performances from Tim Goolsby, Harris Hollis, Stan Matthews and James Brazzell.

GREEN & CASSADY TAKE TOP HONORS

A brilliant football career was capped for Vince Green when the Troy State University flanker was named to the 1970 NAIA All-American first team.

Green, a 6-1, 185-pound senior from Columbus, Georgia, already has made second-team Associated Press Little All-American, All Mid-South Conference and All-NAIA District 27 this year.

Considered a top pro prospect, Green led Troy State in scoring and pass-receiving the last two seasons and set Mid-South Conference records this year in most passes caught, most receiving yardage and most touchdowns receiving.

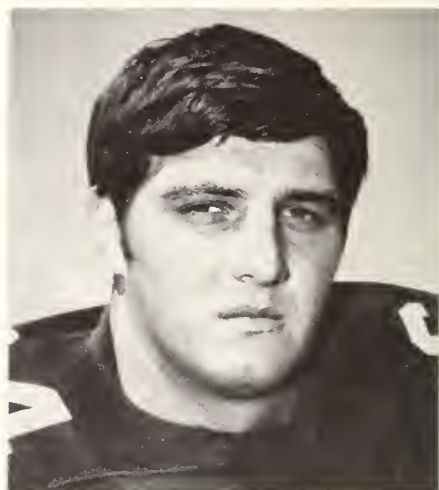
"I guess you would have to say this is just wonderful," Green said when told of his selection. "This is a tremendous honor and I'm very grateful to Coach (Billy) Atkins, the other coaches, my teammates and to NAIA."

"Vince really deserves All-America recognition," head football coach Billy Atkins said. "He has been one of our most dedicated athletes during the last four years, always willing to give a top effort in all situations."

Green is only the third Troy State player in history to make the NAIA dream team. Quarterback Sim Byrd, after leading Troy to the NAIA national football title in 1968, made it that year and defensive halfback Ronnie Shelley was a 1969 choice.



VINCE GREEN



RANDLE CASSADY

During his Red Wave career, Green caught 160 passes for 2,281 yards (an average of 14.3 yards per catch) and 27 touchdowns. The 1970 season was his best, hauling in 60 passes for 1,030 yards (17.2 yards per catch) and 10 touchdowns.

Green, who played for Atkins at Jordan High of Columbus, also is a four-year letterman.

Green won most of the awards when Troy State University honored the 1970 Red Wave football team at its annual awards banquet. He walked away with the Most Valuable Player award, the most outstanding offensive player trophy and one of the permanent captain spots.

Green was selected as the winner of the three prized awards in voting by his teammates.

The Kilpatrick Award, which goes annually to the senior football player with the highest academic average, was won by defensive tackle Roy Crawford, who has maintained an "A" average in all of his college work.

The Red Wave gridders picked end Randle Cassady, a senior, as the most outstanding defensive player and also awarded senior linebacker Gary Spillers the honor of the other permanent captain.

Fullback Robert Butterworth also was the recipient of the first Inspirational Award. Butterworth was selected by the coaching staff as the player who exhibited the best leadership and most enthusiasm.

Green, Cassady and Spillers also got in on the individual awards selected by the coaches. Green as the best receiver, Cassady best defensive lineman and Spillers the best linebacker.

Other individual award-winners were guard Jay McCormick as the best offensive lineman, quarterback Al Head best offensive back and Jack Smith best defensive back.

The first Bill Russell Award for the best lineman went to Cassady. Russell was an NAIA All-America at defensive end on the 1969 Red Wave team.

Head coach Billy Atkins recognized 33 lettermen and singled out the players who had been chosen on various all-star teams.

W.J. (Red) Mithcum of Ocala, Florida, was the guest speaker for the second straight year.

FOOTBALL WRAP-UP TO 1970

SEASON RESULTS (6-4-1)

TSU	Opponents		Attendance
20	Sam Houston	20	9,000
28	Austin Peay	0	5,500
42	Livingston	7	6,000
21	S. E. Louisiana	12	7,000
42	Delta State	6	5,500
10	Jacksonville	55	12,000
28	Florence State	23	6,000
7	McNeese	38	10,000
9	UTM	23	7,950
10	N. E. Louisiana	14	3,000
42	Appalachian	0	3,000

BATIE ALL-AMERICA

Troy State's James Batie, in a photo finish, placed second in the 60-yard dash finals in the NAIA national indoor track meet held in Kansas City, Missouri, the week of January 18, 1971.

It was down to the wire all the way as Batie and winner Gene Ravelon both recorded times of six seconds flat but the official nod went to the latter.

For his efforts, Batie was named to the NAIA All-America team in the 60-yard dash.

The 19-year-old sophomore from Baker High of Columbus, Georgia, qualified for the finals when he won his preliminary and quarter final heat and tied the semi-final race.

Batie, who holds every sprint record at Troy State, and anchors three record-breaking relay teams, has already tied the world this season in the 50-yard dash, a five-second effort in the Senior Bowl meet in December.

WRESTLING TEAM GIVES OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE

Troy State wrestling success in 1971 will depend on three returning lettermen and a host of outstanding freshmen, including four former state champions, as Coach Wayne Frazier's young team tries to better last year's 2-6 record.

The man to watch for Troy is 134-pound Milt Sherman of Arlington, Virginia, repeat champion in high school and an established star here despite just being a sophomore. He already has won his weight class in the Georgia Tech Invitational early in December and holds a 19-2-1 record at Troy State.

Other lettermen back for another try are Marcus Calloway in the heavyweight division and Tom Cook in the 142-pound class. Calloway was a big winner in 1970, finishing third in the Southeastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association, while Cook brings in a 7-7 mark from last year.

Troy State boasts two former Alabama state champs in the 118-pound class in Steve Lee of Alexander City and Stuart Prine of Prattville. Lee was a two-time winner in 3-A competition while Prine won the 2-A crown twice.

The other prep title-holders are Ron Stafford in the 150 weight and Mike Jorden in 158. Jorden was the 3-A champ two straight years from Butler High of Huntsville while Stafford was the 4-A winner in Georgia.

Two more Virginia standouts will also be on hand this season as Doug Nelson and Wayne Scott of Arlington make their first appearance for the Red Wave. Both are graduates of Yorktown High where Nelson competed in the 167-pound class and Scott in the 177.

Other help this season will come from Don Brugal, who finished second in the SIWA two years ago in the 190-pound class, and Tim McLendon, a 177-pounder from LaGrange, Georgia.



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